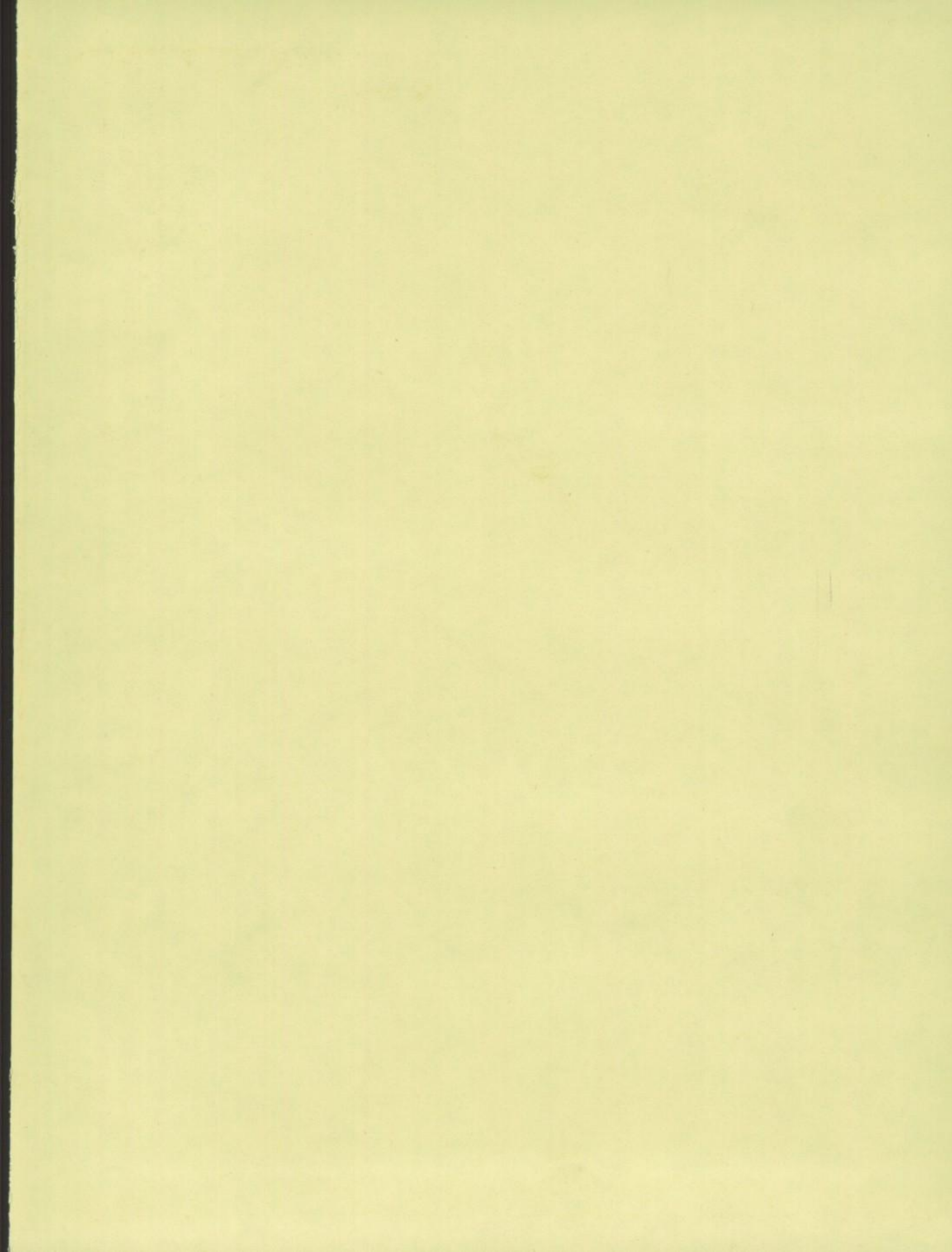


Centralian













The new homecoming queen, Kelly Moehr, and last year's homecoming queen, Julie Paarman.

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# LOOK AT US NOW

It took a fresh start to get a clearer look at things and come up with a new approach and better ideas at CHS. The yearbook has rearranged its coverage to come up with new ideas, different coverage, different format for copy.

After last year's book was received, we had to look for a better way. Sometimes it was hard to see where the yearbook was going and to see what we were trying to achieve. But through it all there was an under current for a fresh new start — LOOK AT US NOW!

Cheerleaders Anne Mayberry and Mary Macumber at a football game.





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Everybody cheer during a pep assembly, O.K.?

What are you looking at Jane Rodriguez?



Can we get a little closer? (John Howes, Jeff Palzkill, and Jussi Hanhivaara)

Rhonda Roeder hard at work in Physics.







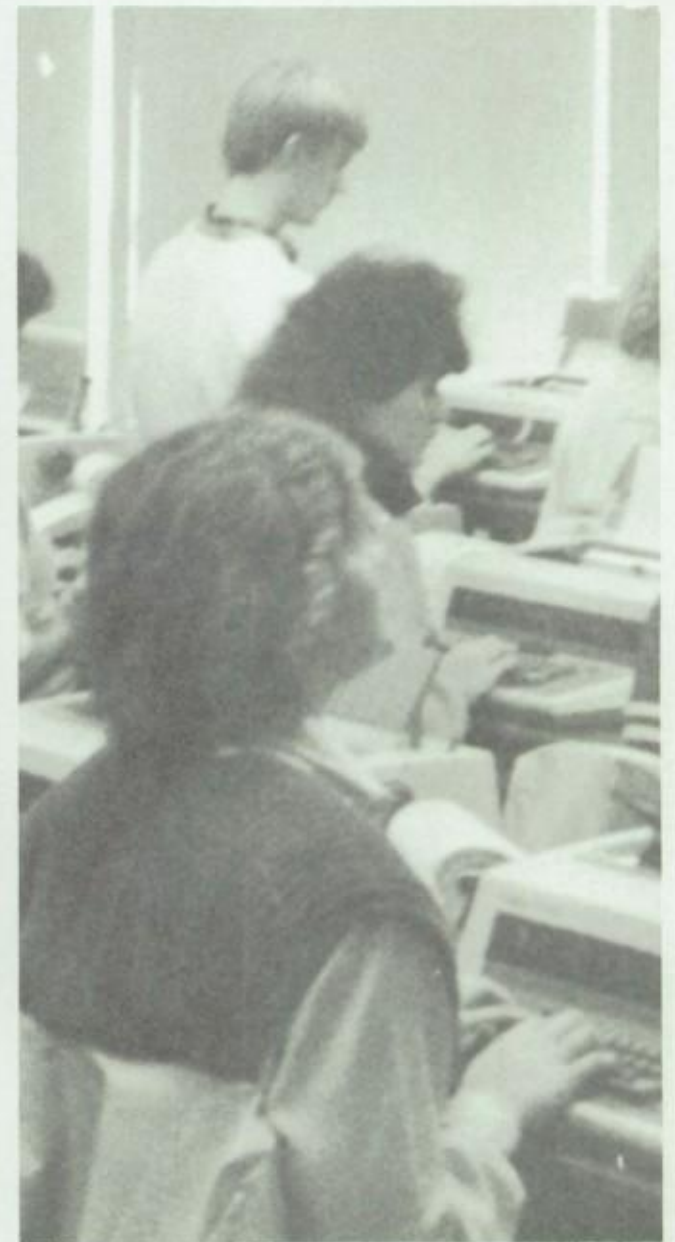
# CLASSES



Kari Truelson doing a Physics lab.

Hard at work in typing class are Al Thomsen, Julie Falkingham, and Theresa Mackin.

Keith Green, Mary Macumber, and Kristy Smith are not too busy watching a pep assembly to pose for a picture.





Janine Hodgett waiting to see who it to be crowned homecoming queen.

Jussi Hanhivaara is in the spotlight again with Jeff Schmitt during on of Mr. William's Man Of The Week



Theresa Mackin, Pat Burke, and Deanne McCulloh squeeze together to get in a picture.





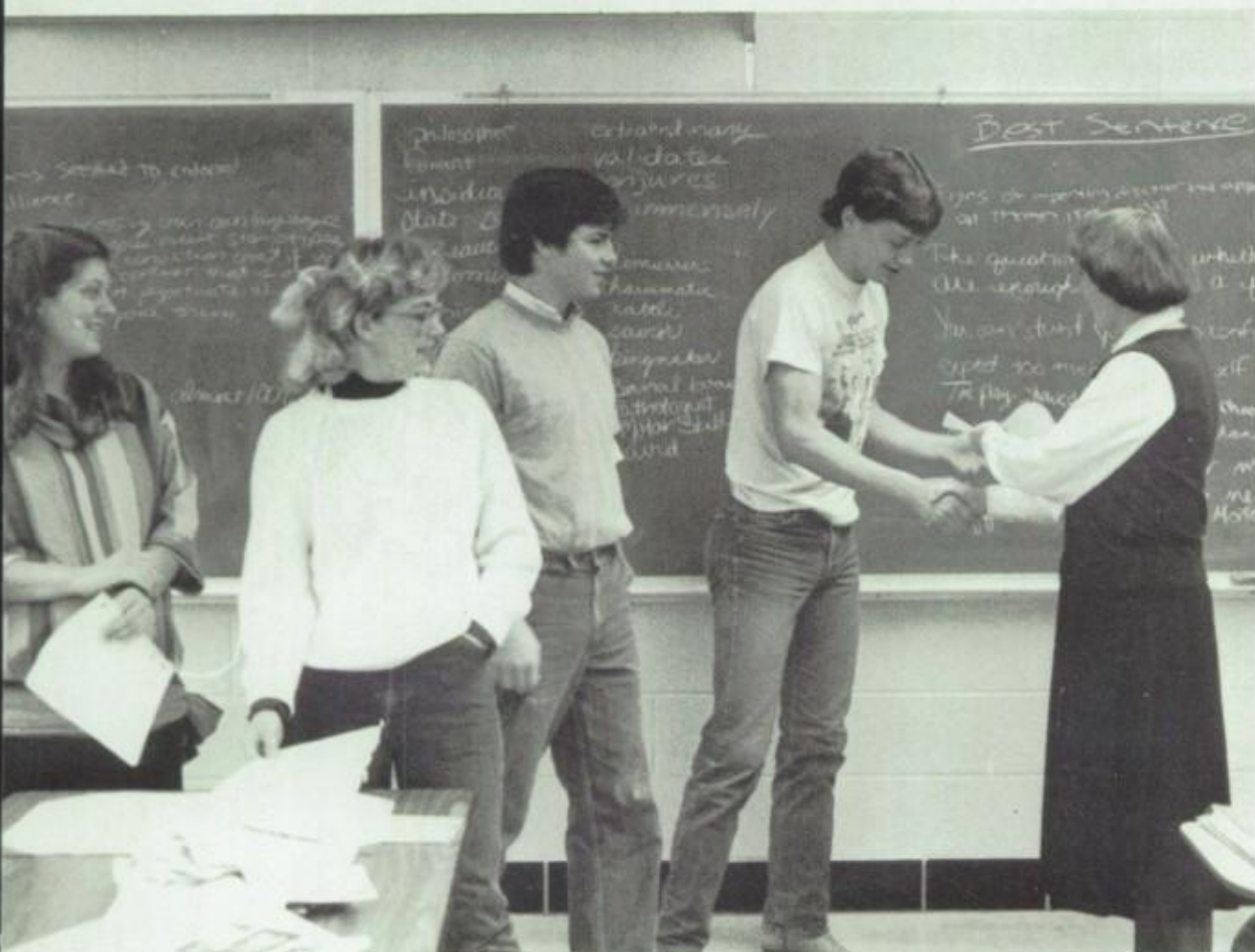


Seniors riding in the Homecoming parade.

Two girls tell Santa Claus (George Raes) what they want for Christmas at a child development class party.



Working hard on accounting in the library is Kelly Moehr.



RoastMike Overstake and Jeff Schmidt receiving awards from Mrs. Prichard, Sandy DeLarm, and Betsy Woods in Creative Writing.





Honorary Attendent, Jussi Hanihvaara, rides in homecoming parade.

The winning window by Sandy DeLarm, Angela Arey, and Besty Woods.



Homecoming king, Tony Kuehn.







Dean King and Mike Evers enjoying the Homecoming Parade.



The crowning of homecoming queen, Kelly Moehr.



Kelly Moehr, daughter of Char and Charlie Peters, was crowned the 1985 Homecoming Queen on Friday, September 27. The coronation took place between the sophomore and varsity games. Kelly was crowned by the 1984 Queen Julie Paarmann. Members of the queen's court were Melanie Selby, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Selby, Janine Hodgett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Hodgett, and Tonja Fick, honorary attendant.

Junior attendants were Ann Muller and Becky Mackin. Sophomore attendants were Kris Klaas and Renee Fisher.

This year's festivities consisted of a Nerd Day, Hawaiian-Toga Day and School Colors Day. Friday morning a breakfast was held at the school cafeteria. It was sponsored by Student Council and the cheerleaders. Friday afternoon a pep rally was held to get

school spirit going and boy there was a lot of it!!

At the rally, Tony Kuehn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kuehn, was crowned the 1985 Homecoming King. He was crowned by Julie Paarmann, 1984 Homecoming Queen. Members of the King's court were Dean King, son of Ron and Linda King, Mike Evers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Evers and Jussi Hanhivaara, honorary attendant.

A parade followed the rally. It traveled through downtown DeWitt then over to the Junior High School. Where another pep rally took place. The first place float was done by the Special Education Students.

This year's theme was "Spear the Spartans." The football team was defeated in the big game by Pleasant Valley. Music for the Homecoming dance, which followed the game, was by Paul Rock.





# SPORTS



If anyone doubted the sincerity of Saber Pride, all they had to do was watch us work. From the sights of homes, all the way to state, the student body, teachers and administrators supported the efforts of groups and individuals who achieved much.

Our surge of pride was not hurt because of the lose of the homecoming game.

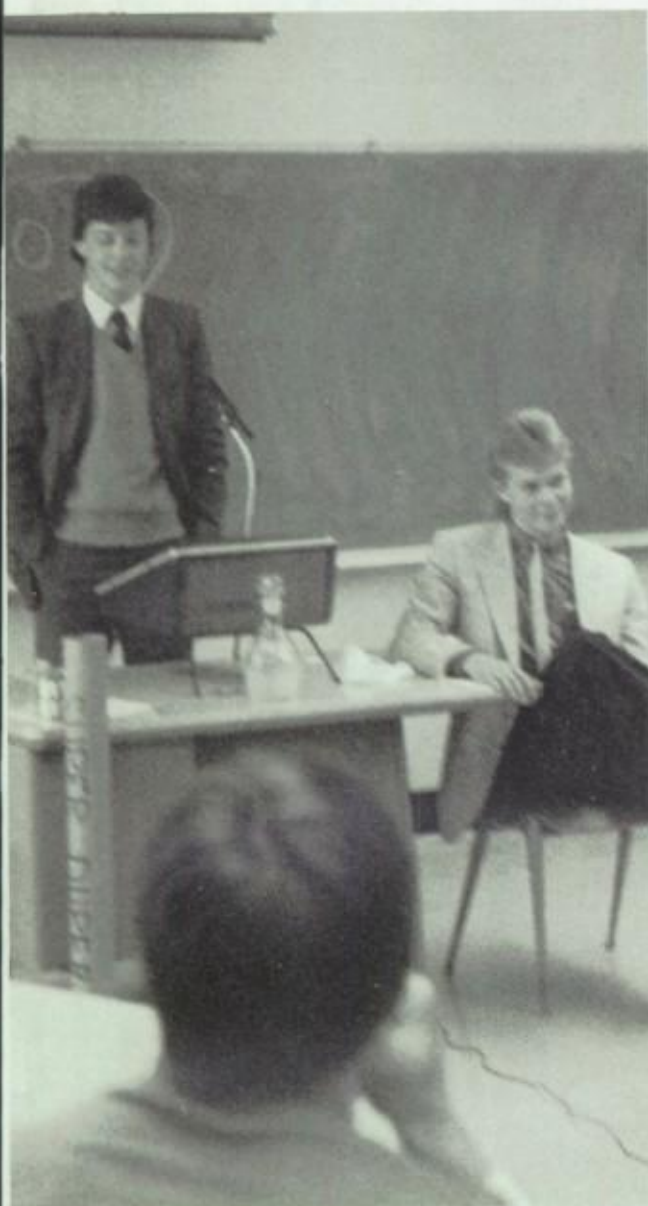
What's this? Jussi Hanhivaara and Tom Trimble join Stacy Vetter on the volleyball team?

Parents join team members after a game.

Students during a pep assembly.







Jeff Schmidt trying his best at Man of the Week.

Rick Hunter and Bill Payson working hard in metals.

Lance Schoening, Dan Pinter, Dave Rueter, Keith Wichert, Bryan Thomsen, Todd Azinger, Tim Ocker, Jim Seward, Penny Penzkofer, Stacy Hall, and Kristi Hofer getting crazy at the game.

Working on a Physics lab are Donna Galloway and Sherry Burken.





# SENIORS

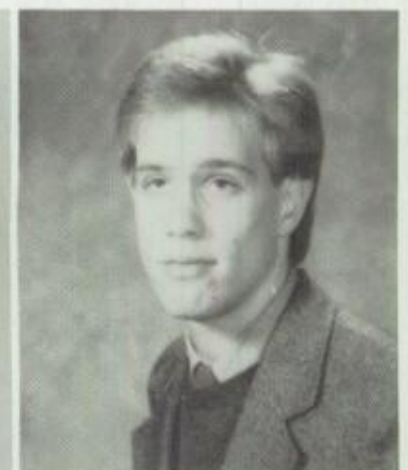


Shelly Thiel attained the highest individual honor available to Iowa High School vocal students by being named to the 1985 All-State Chorus.

Shelly was one of 600-voice choir that presented the Festival Concert at Hilton Coliseum at Iowa State University, Ames, on Saturday, Nov. 16.

The program was under the direction of the Iowa High School Music Association and the Iowa Music Educators Association.

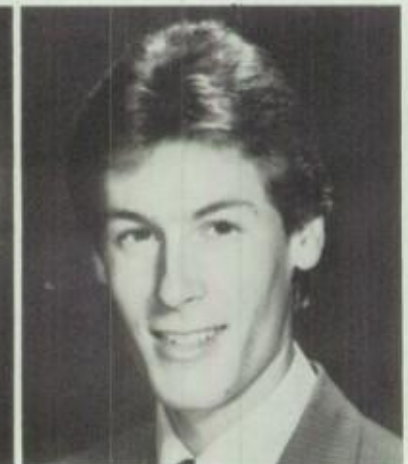
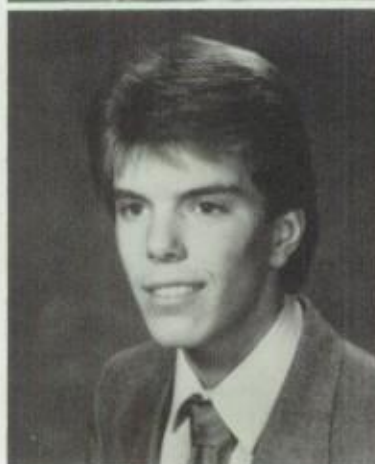
Mark Ahlers  
Lisa Ahrens  
Charles Anderson  
Mark Anderson



Sue Anderson  
Tracy Anderson  
Angela Arey  
Brenda Barber



Brian Barnes  
Scott Baxter  
Krista Billhorn  
Jim Block







Melanie Selby riding in the homecoming parade.



The Top Movies of the 1985-86 School Year as voted on by the senior class are:

Beverly Hill's Cop  
Breakfast Club  
Rambo  
Back to the Future  
St. Elmo's Fire  
Rocky IV  
Pee-Wee's Big Adventure  
Vision Quest  
Missing in Action  
Mask  
National Lampoon's European Vacation  
Silverado  
Cocoon  
Fletch

Honorary queen candidate Tanja Fick and her usher Monty Scheckles.

The winning homecoming float-Work Study-riding the float is Beth King.

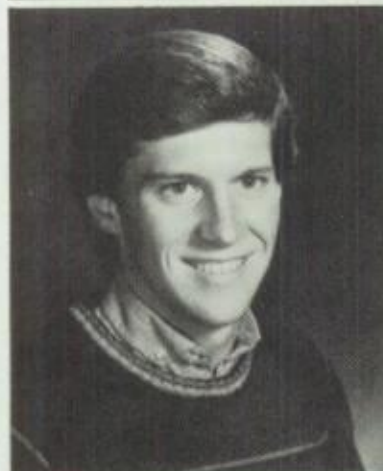




Lori Bollie  
Brenda Burkamper  
Lisa Burke  
Lori Burke



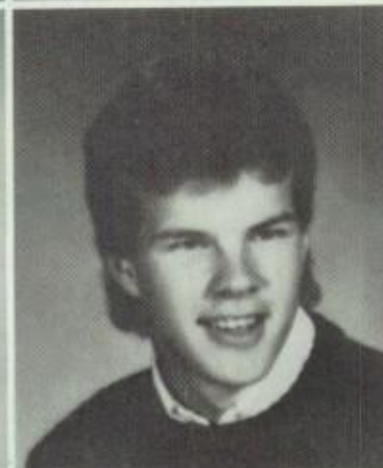
Pat Burke  
Karen Burken



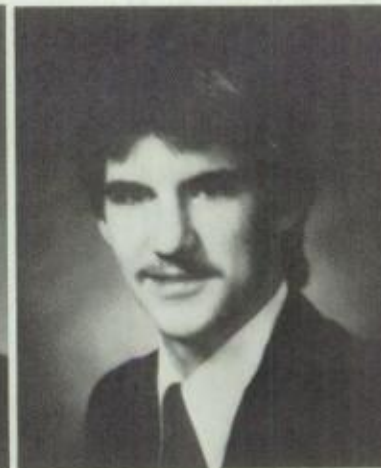
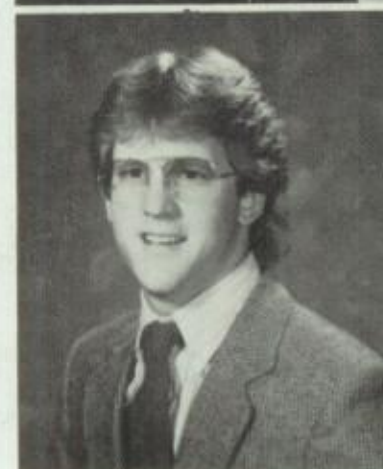
Mark McGarry,  
Shane Freund,  
Jim Hughes, and  
Dan Henningsen  
having fun on  
the senior  
float.



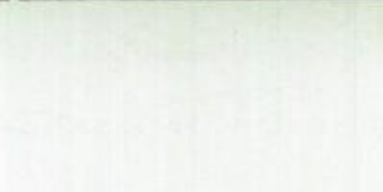
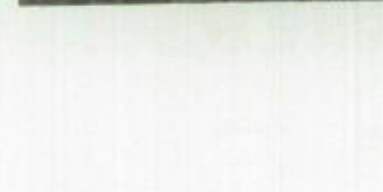
Pam Burken  
Sherry Burken



Jeff Burmeister  
Bob Burmeister  
Ronnie Carber  
Carl Carnes



Jim Clark  
Rick Claussen  
Frank Cole  
Michele Crosthwaite







The marching band in the homecoming parade.

Look Out World! Here we come---Johnny Putt Putt-Brenda Burkamper, Sherry Burken.

"Two bumps on a log."  
(Theresa Mackin and DeAnne McCulloh)



Janine Hodgett riding in the homecoming parade.



The AFS homecoming float. Riding on it are: John Hesse, Jim Miller, Brian Barnes, Dave Green, Karen Burken, Amy Schrader, Rhonda Roeder, and Steve Thiltgen.



## First Impressions

P.A. system announcements- Holly, 3rd hour

Summer job- Don't have one, money, hard work

Homework- Too much, every night, don't do it

Tradition- Senior burn-outs, senior bench

T-shirt- Comfortable, concert

Bending School Rules- 45 min. lounge, always, fun

Graduation- Can't wait, Party, Life begins

Pep Assemblies- get out of class, legalized screaming

Lunch- hot, bad, not enoughm don't eat it

Money- Need it, don't have any

Cars- Cruising, need one

Lockers- Too small, mess, don't lock

Fashions- Weird, anything goes, shakers

## Class rings Lose too much, wear, relationships

Pizza- Yummy, every weekend, Happy Joe's, Pizza Hut

Detention- The 3:20 club, never had

Music- Mr. McMahon, rock-n-roll

Monday- Beginning, hard to get through

Habits- Bad, Chewing nails

Superstitions- Unbelievable, Friday the 13th

Favorite color- Blue, purple, green, yellow, red

**Daydreaming-** Study hall, classes, always

Phone- Expensive, on everynight

Contacts- No more 4 eyes

Excuses- Lies, many, there are none

Teacher- Mr. Bielenberg, Mr. Fleagle, Mr. Cederoth

Plays- Mrs. Doom, acting, musical

Local events- Ball game, dances, fair

Homecoming- Parade, football, float preparation

Work- Money, school, boring

Movie- Watch, go to with girlfriend



The homecoming color guards riding in the parade-Lisa Burke and Deanne McCulloh.





# Seniors Prepare for Post High School



Kelly Dalton  
Chris Deke

One of the benefits of Monty Sheckles being King for the musical is that we got to see the tights he normally wears under his jeans.



Sandra DeLarm  
Steve DeMoss



Bill DeTellem  
Andrea Donahue  
Michelle Dusanek  
Jeff Eliasan



Mike Evers  
Trent Fey  
Tanja Fick  
Rodney Fisher



Michelle Flann  
Lisa Franzen  
Shane Freund  
Mike Frohwein



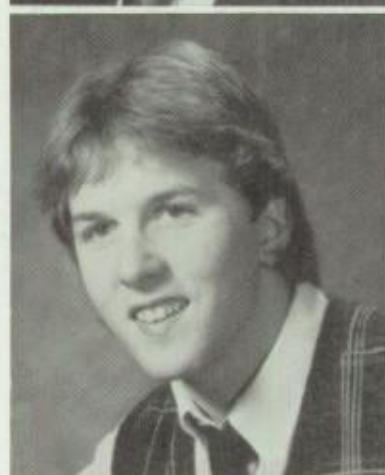
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Debbie Galloway  
Donna Galloway  
Cheryl Carlough



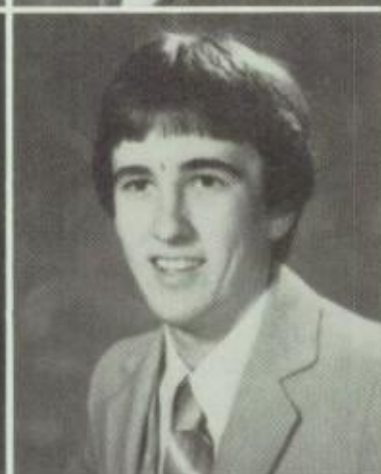
Paul Garrity  
James Goldensoph  
Tom Goodall  
Sandy Goodman



Steve Grau  
Angie Green  
Dave Green  
Keith Green



Ron Grutz  
Rodney Haack  
Jean Hahn  
Jussi Hanhivaara



Sandy Harger  
Dawn Haring  
Laurie Hass  
Dan Henningsen







# Presenting SENIORS

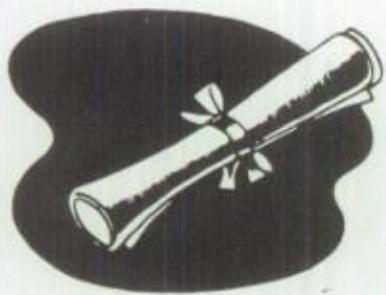
Dean King, Wendy Moore, Sue Anderson and Kristi Smith exchange gossip on the senior bench.



Senior Jill Tobey lets it all hang out to express her feelings about marching during the heat of the day.

Kristi McDevitt steps out in front of the marching band during the homecoming parade.





DeAnne McCulloh, Student Council President, fights back the ever present smile.



Krista Billhorn is intent upon her art work.



Todd Regg shows his track form at the Saber Relays.

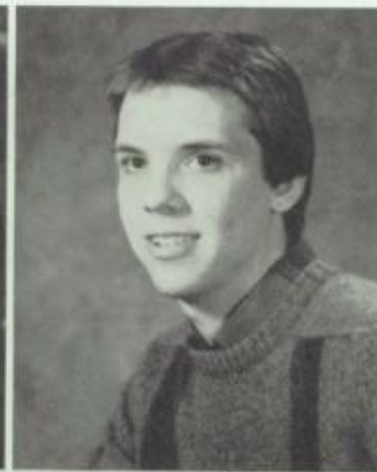
Steve Schnack a Senior at CCHS, won \$20 at The Writers Conference held at Wartburg College in the Fall. His winning paper was titled "Get Meagle Beak." He won First place. It was sponsored by Wartburg College English Department.



Melanie Selby smiles to everyone as she waits for the homecoming parade.



# Seniors

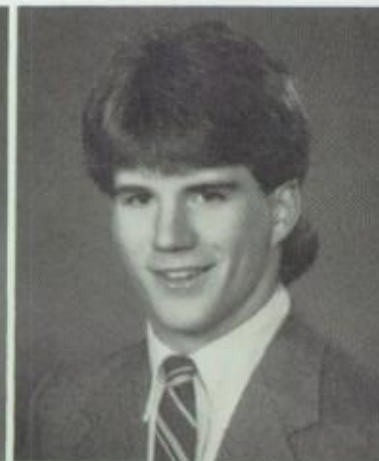


Max Herman  
John Hesse

Scott Baxter shows off his interior decorating ability.



Chris Hinrichs  
Janine Hodgett



Kristi Hofer  
John Howes  
Jean Hughes  
Jim Hughes

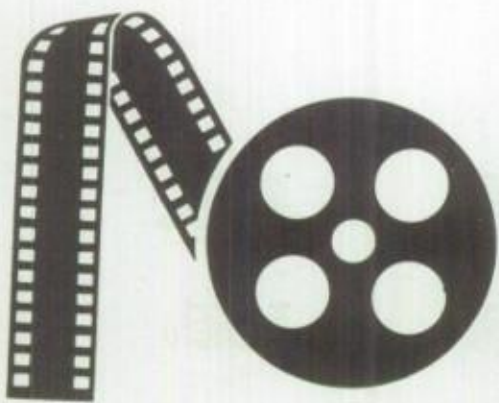


Steve Hughes  
Rick Hunter  
Karen Jackson  
Jennifer Jacobson



Brenda Jaeger  
Mark Jamison  
Brent Johnson  
Kent Jurgerson





Frank Cole is a special person around the halls of Central. It was his responsibility every afternoon to get the audio-visual equipment to the proper room and to pick it up afterwards. It is a major undertaking to keep all the equipment in order and where it is to go next. His help was greatly appreciated.

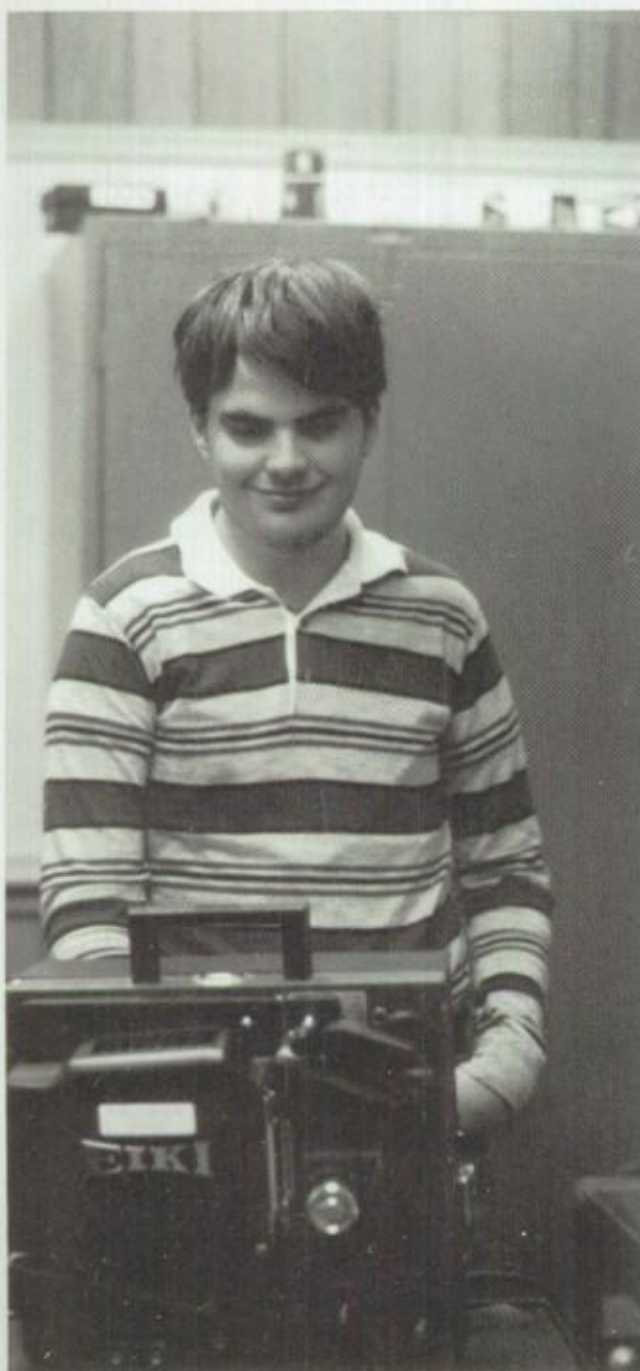
Central Community School offers a variety of courses to meet the needs of the student body, be it going on to college, going to trade school or whatever the student decides to do.

Central students gave mixed reactions to their view of the class they will remember the most. Senior Mark Anderson will remember World History with Mr. Bielenburg, while senior Brenda Burkamper will remember Biology. Senior Tom Trimble said he would remember Chemistry, while senior Karen Burken said she would remember Accounting. Senior Kristi Hofer didn't hesitate at all when she said Voc-Ag.

Other seniors, Doug Lomsdalen chose computers, Kari Trulson chose band, Jim

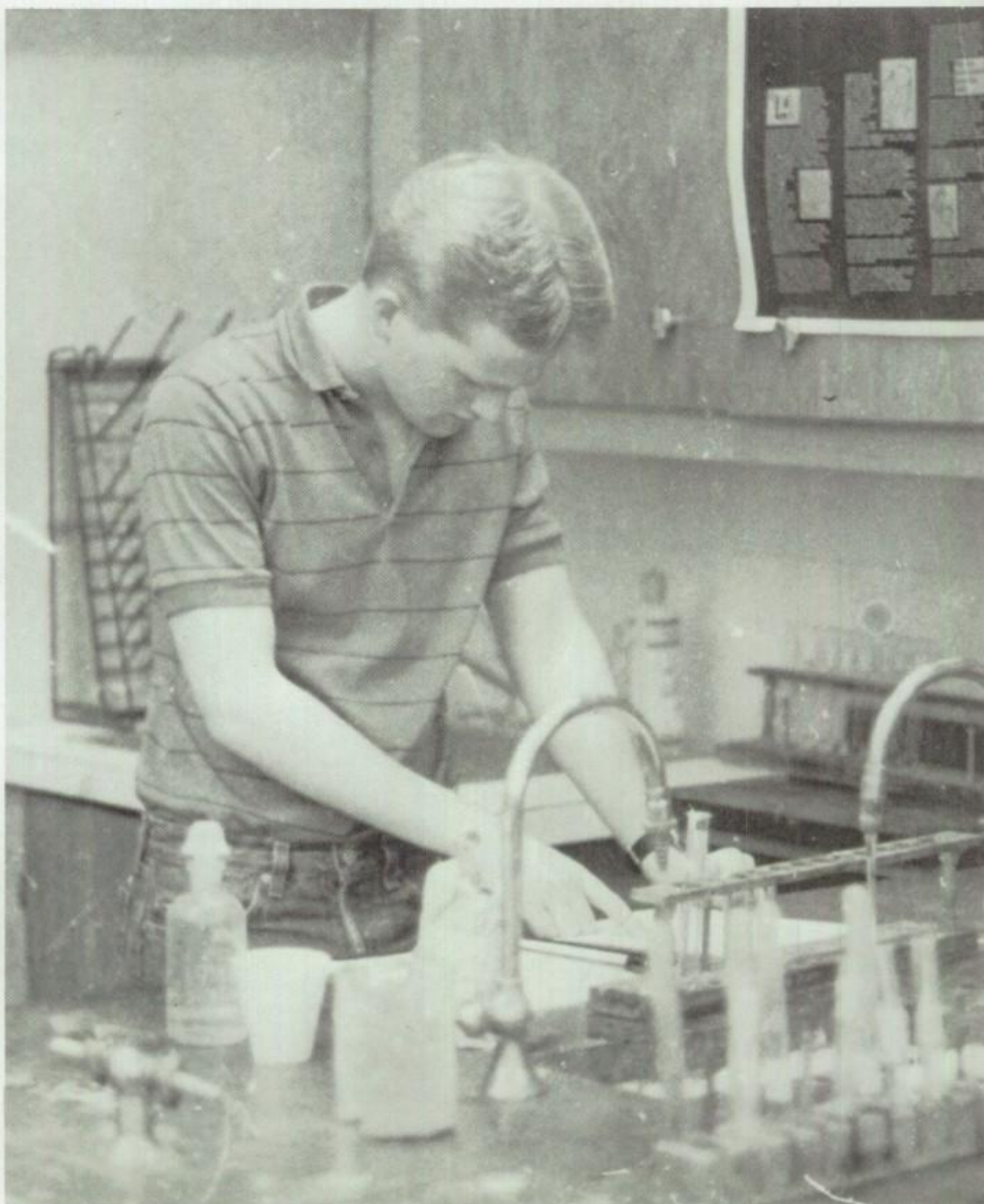
Miller and Milissa Knudson chose senior seminar, Lori Bollie, Jayne Peters, and Ann Mayberry chose physiology. Kent Jurgerson said he would choose woodworking while Jeff Fugisang would choose auto mechanics.

Three years of English are required at Central. The courses which are offered are Media Now, Language Arts, English 10, Language Art Enrichment, American Literature, Interpersonal Communication, Debate, Creative Writing, Expository Writing, Honors English, Individualized Reading, Personal English and British Literature. The foreign language department offers courses in Spanish I, II, and III.



Frank Cole considers the mechanics of film projectors.

Brent Johnson shown working on a physiology experiment, rode in a convertible before the CCHS marching band at the Band Day festivities in Cedar Rapids, May 17.







During the winter sports, the following people sang the National Anthem. Kristy Smith, DeAnne McCulloh, Renee Beguhn, Anne Mayberry, Lisa Burke, Shelly Thiel, Jane Rodriques, Lisa Davis, Laurie Tan, Penny Heister, Holly Pierce and Steve Frommelt.

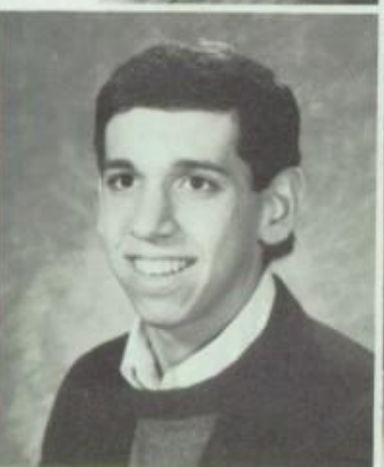
Lisa Burke, 1985  
Homecoming parade  
marshall, waves from the  
rumble seat of the old model A.



Bill Kagemann  
Kathy Kane  
Darrel Kendrick  
John Ketelson



Kathy Kilburg  
Beth King  
Dean King  
John Kleinsmith



Melissa Knudsen  
Tony Kuehn  
Matt Libberton  
Doug Lomsdaalen



# Seniors Have Many Interests

Ken Lowery  
Dan McAleer  
Deanne McCulloh  
Theresa Mackin



Kristi McDevitt  
Sue McDonnell  
Mark McGarry  
Mary Macumber



Anne Mayberry  
Christi Meggers  
Dana Mier  
Jim Miller



Tom Mizer  
Kelly Moehr  
Wendy Moore  
Connie Nielsen



Dan Nugent  
Mike Overstake  
Jeff Palzkill  
Bill Paysen





On Friday, May 23, at 1:00 p.m., the annual award assembly was held in the gym.

The winning awards were:

Clinton County Cattlemen's Association Scholarship: Lisa Burke.

American Citizenship Award, presented by the Iowa Bar Association: DeAnne McCulloh.

Donald G. Henricksen Memorial Agriculture Scholarships: Lisa Burke and DeAnne McCulloh.

Central DeWitt Education Association Scholarship: Shelly Thiel.

Lee Dahl Scholarship: Rhonda Roeder.

Independent Bankers Association Scholarship, presented by First Central State Bank: Brenda Burkamper.

Ed Tubbs Scholarship: Jill Tobey.

T.T.T. Scholarship: Lori Raes.

Connie Drummond, a high school cook for 28 years is recognized by Dr. Whipple upon retiring. The student body gave her a standing ovation.

Iowa Choral Director's Association Award: Shelly Thiel.

Louis Armstrong Jazz Band Award: Mike Evers  
John Phillip Sousa Senior Band Award: Kristy Smith

Outstanding Senior Athletes, presented by the DeWitt Observer: Melanie Selby and John Howes.

State of Iowa Scholars: Mark Anderson, Brenda Burkamper, Bob Burmeister, Sandy DeLarm, Shelly Thiel, and Jill Tobey.

Also recognized were Tanja Fick, AISE student from Germany, and Jussi Hanhivaara, AFS Student from Finland.

DeWitt Junior Women's Scholarship: Lisa Burke.

American Association of University Women Scholarship: Shelly Thiel.

Ci-Ed Scholarship: Lori Raes.

CCHS Student Council Scholarships: Mike Frohwein and DeAnne McCulloh.

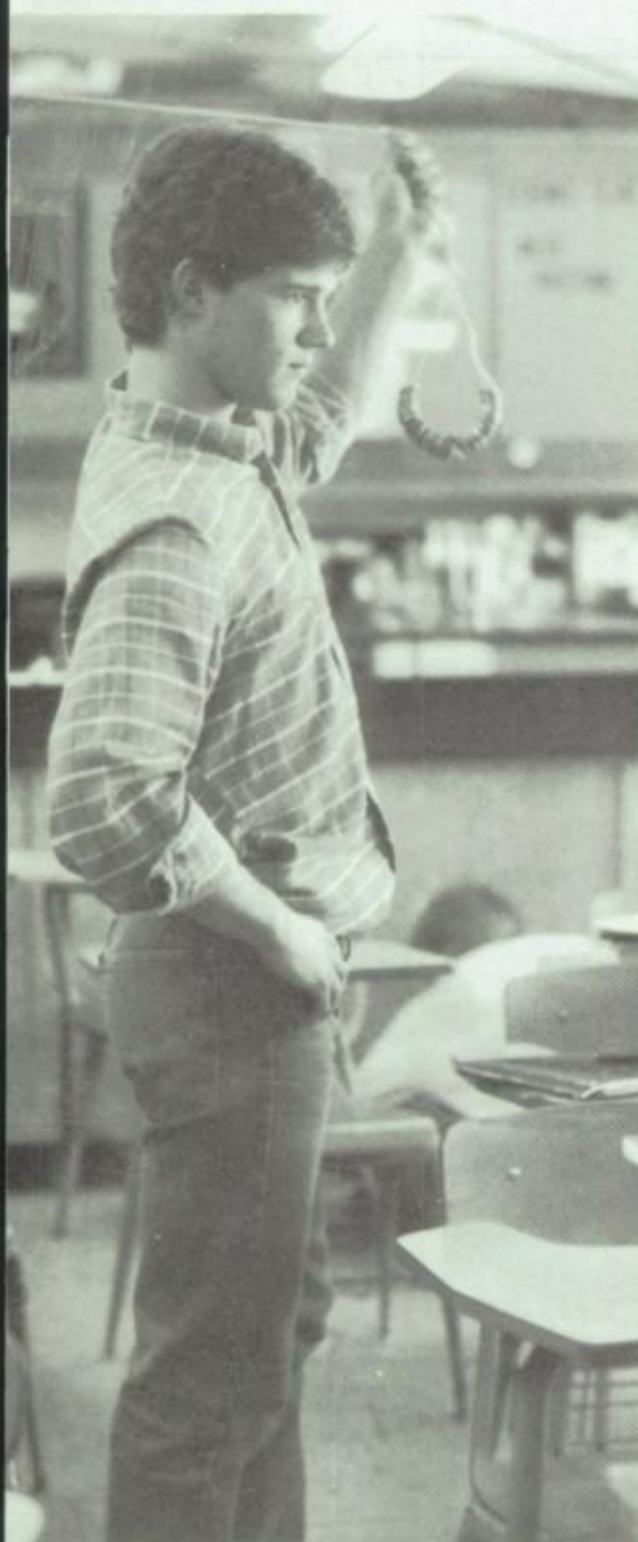
Outstanding senior library assistant: Brenda Burkamper.

Presidential Academic Fitness awards: Mark Anderson, Lisa Ahrens, Brenda Burkamper, Lisa Burke, and Rhonda Roeder.

Brenda Burkamper receives her Outstanding Librarian Award from Mrs. Snively as Mr. Raikes looks on.



Todd Reeg, Barb Scheckel, John Ketelson, and Jean Hughes painting the new Saper emblems which will go in the lobby. They were designed by Lance Schoening.





# Seniors Were Winners

Jayne Peters  
Rick Poell  
Sharon Porth  
Lori Raes



Todd Reeg  
Janice Riedesel  
Jane Rodriguez  
Rhonda Roeder



Christi Roffman  
Joel Sasiela  
Barb Scheckel  
Steve Schnack



Dave Schnurr  
Amy Schrader  
Denise Schroeder  
Dan Scott



Amy Schrader and Kari Truelson show us "girl talk" in its purest form.



Melanie Selby  
Jim Seward





# Seniors

## Prepare for Careers



It took the lives of two zebras to provide Melanie Selby with her track pants.

Steve Thiltgen demonstrates his ability to goof-off in physics.



# price you'll like

## Prices for 1985-86

Movies	\$ 3.50
Video games	.25
Dance	2.00
Record album	8.98
Jeans	23.99
Sweater	23.00
Jogging suit	15.00
Tennis Shoes	35.00
Dress-up pants	45.00
Suits	150.00
Dress	40.00

Seniors	
Graduation announcements	.36
Class Ring	115.00
Senior portrait	140.00
Graduation party	100.00

School Necessities	
Yearbook	\$ 18.50
Activity ticket	10.00
Lunch	.85
Lunch Ticket	3.75

Miscellaneous Expenses	
Postage Stamp	\$ .22
Phone Calls (pay phone)	.25
New Car	15000.00
Used Car	5500.00
Hair cut	7.80
Hairstyle	15.00
Perm	25.00
Braces	2000.00
Contact lenses (soft)	49.00

Special Occassions	
Prom Dress	\$ 65.00
Rent a tux	35.00
Corsage	8.00
Prom Ticket	5.00

Foods	
Hamburger	\$ 1.10
Fries	.75
Soft Drink	.65
Medium Pizza	8.95
Can of pop	.55
Hostess Twinkie	.40
Chips (small bag)	.35
Candy bar	.40

Sales Tax	4%
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Janice Riedesel tries to scowl the answers out of the test.



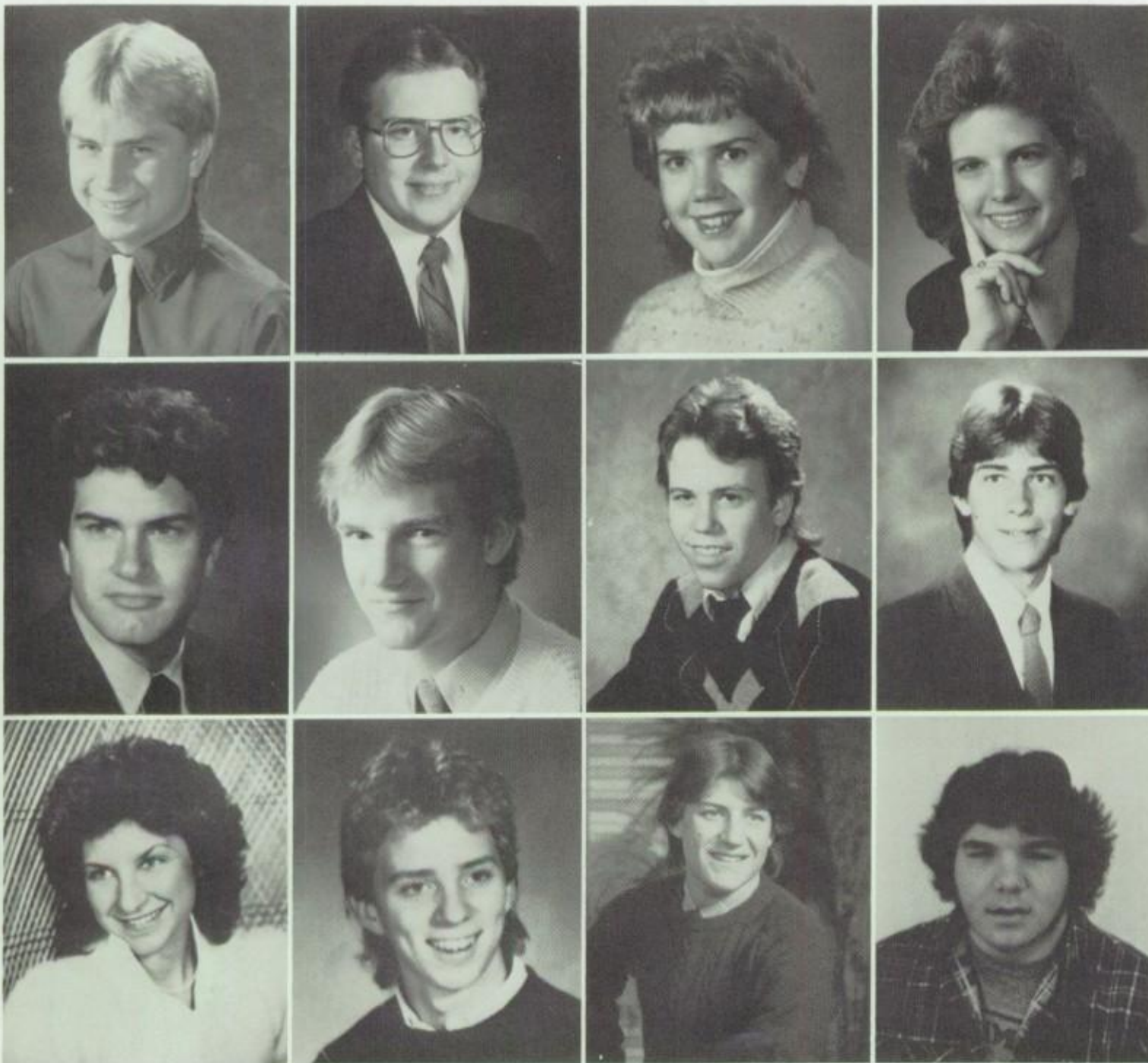
'I said NO PICTURES!!' threatens Kenny Lowery.

Keith Wickert and Jim Seward make the most of their mornings by singing duets for the school.





# Here We Are



Monty Sheckles  
Clint Sissel  
Chris Smith  
Kristi Smith

Steve Smith  
Pat Steward  
Lee Swanson  
Dave Templeton

Michelle Thiel  
Steve Thiltgen  
Bill Thompson  
James Thompson



Mike Evers and Dean King  
"take it easy" as Rick Poell  
and Rodney Haack pay no  
attention at all to where they  
are going.

## Stepping Into the Real World



# LEARNING IN A FOREIGN ENVIRONMENT

"Leaving was the hardest thing for me to do. I lived there for two and a half months." This is how Jennifer Jacobsen felt about Bunuel, Navarra, Spain. I was really disappointed when I found out I'd been placed in Spain. I thought this was going to be Mexico over the ocean. Boy, was I wrong.

I learned alot, not only about Spain, about the people and culture. I also learned alot about myself. Life goes on without a car, a telephone, a curling iron and the English language.

The people in Spain are great. They are so nice. They'll give you everything and more. They are really friendly; they always wanted to talk to me and help.

I got used to living like them and I liked it better. I mean, if my hair didn't look perfect — big deal, they still liked me for the person I was.

If I'd have a choice of where to live between the U.S. and Spain, my vote goes to Spain. The people, on an overall, I guess are nicer and life is simpler.

My A.F.S. experience was a good one. I'll cherish it forever.

My only regret was it was too short.

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Joel Sasiela is busy doing his apple programming.

Jennifer Jacobsen is shown in her host family home.





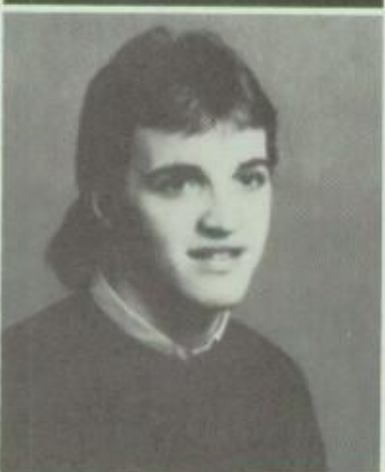
## FROM LEARNING TO EARNING



Al Thomsen  
Kelly Thomsen  
Jill Tobey  
Tom Trimble



Kari Truelson  
Debbie Twigg  
Stacy Vetter  
Tony Webb



Patti Wendel  
Keith Wichert  
Mark Williams  
Duane Witt



Matt Zimmerman

Tony Kuehn shows us "Dumbo."



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Chris Adams  
Alan Anderson



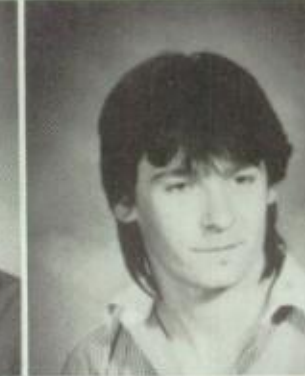
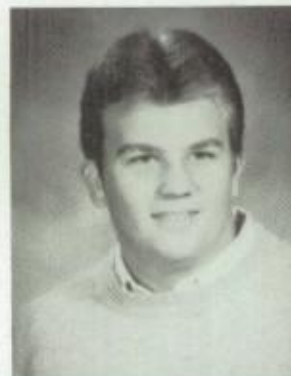
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Angie Bauer



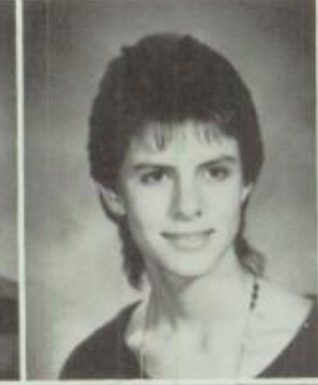
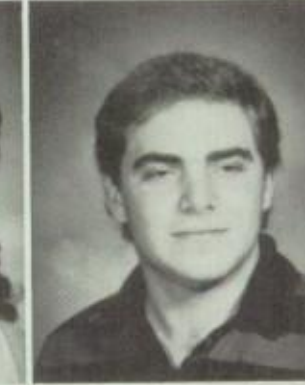
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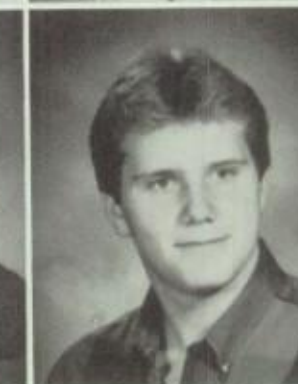
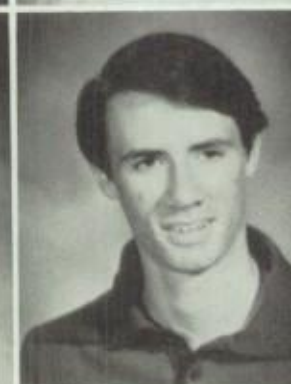
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Rick Bodmer  
Lori Bonar  
J Brandt  
Audrey Brown



Jona Brown  
Mike Brown  
Kory Budinger  
Becky Burkamper  
Lori Calhoun





# Being a Junior at Central

Being a junior has brought new exciting experiences into our lives. Having teachers, such as Mr. Bielenburg and Mr. Raikes, has given us a new outlook on life. When you have classes like Chemistry and History, you never know what to expect each day. You may be faced with a lab that takes you years to figure out or you could be in history trying on outfits from soldiers of war. So if you try your best you can make this the best year of your life.

Tom Hansen, Larry Banowetz, and Jeff Schmidt go for a ride on the big red fire truck.



Brigg Tubbs goes for the long jump of it.

Ty Stevens karate chops his way the long jump.





Todd Holverson can't believe his eyes or what he is hearing.

Dan McGuire and Dan Wagener express their distaste of being photographed.

'What are you looking at?' thinks Carrie McDonald.





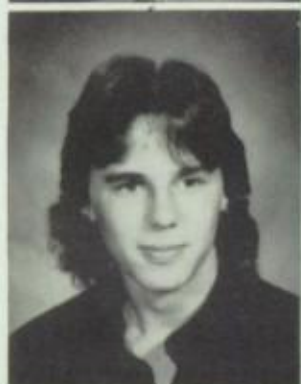
# **Juniors Look Forward to Final Year**



Susan Canaday  
Tom Carlson

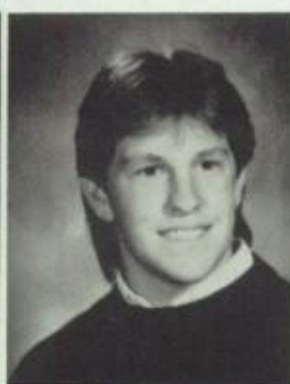


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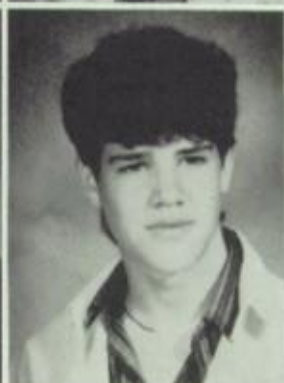
The class finally grew accustomed to Mr. Fleagle's "forgetfulness" and Mr. Bielenberg's cultural jokes, they look forward to their final year at Central with great anticipation and expectation.



LaVonne Clark  
Robert Claussen  
Meaghan Crowley  
Greg Dalton



Joe Danielsen  
Rhonda Danielsen  
Lisa Davis  
Jim DeMoss  
Kim Denahy



James Dierickx  
Tammy Dies  
Carla Dohrmann  
Christine Dusanek  
Darin Dusanek



# CCHS'S

## Workforce

It has been said that, "Necessity is the mother of invention." However, for a high school student this proverb does not necessarily apply. A more suitable version should read, "Necessity is the mother of a job." The typical student can and does find some sort of employment during his high school career. These people are the heroes of our system at CCHS and should be respected for their accomplishment. These people have found a source of money in the face of time consum-

Mike Hughes appears to be deep in thought.  
Renee Beguhn shows her flag corp routine at the indoor concert.  
Becky Burkamper ducks the camera--too late.

ing homework which has been liberally applied by their instructors.

The typical student holding a job works at some form of a food service establishment. Barnes currently employs the most CCHS students ringing in at 17 positions held. Most students work for around \$3.35. This does not allow them a luxurious lifestyle but provides substantially more money for personal recreation that most parents do.

The people who have found jobs, willingly or not, are gaining experience that will benefit them in the future. Most of these people

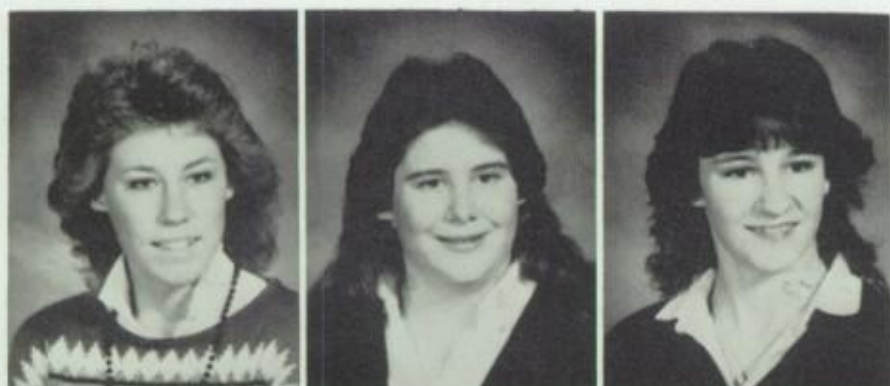
will hold "better" jobs in the future but they learn the essentials in maintaining employment. These valuable resources include, experience working for another person, working with other people, and creating and maintaining some form of a budget. These experiences and countless more are shaping the characters of this nations youth, and to think it all started in high school!

Tom Hansen and Rick Schrader look apprehensive at the camera.



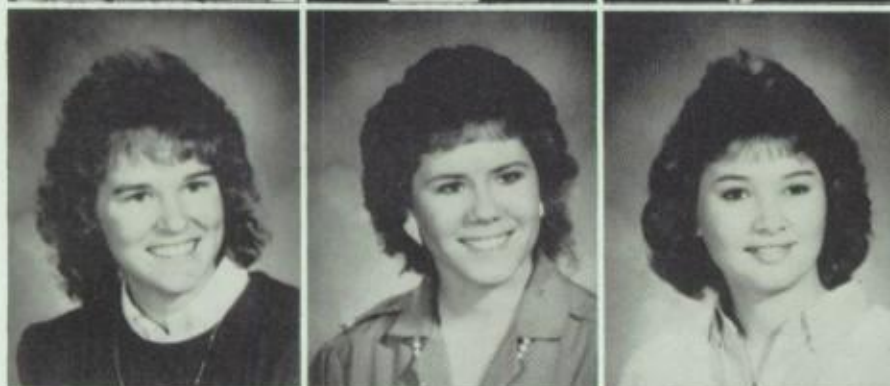


# Juniors Always Had Fun...

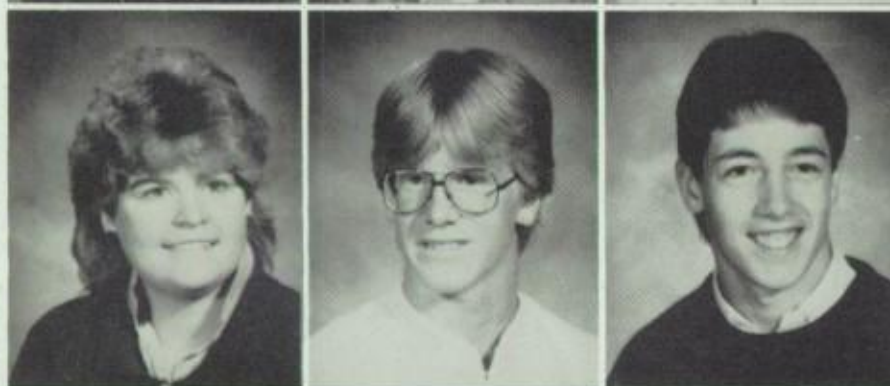
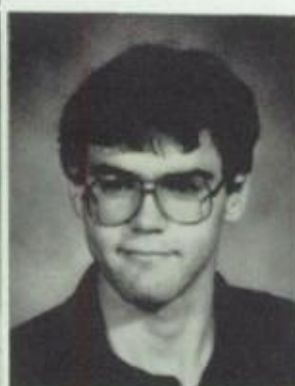


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Shelly Fatchett

Kim Fausnaught



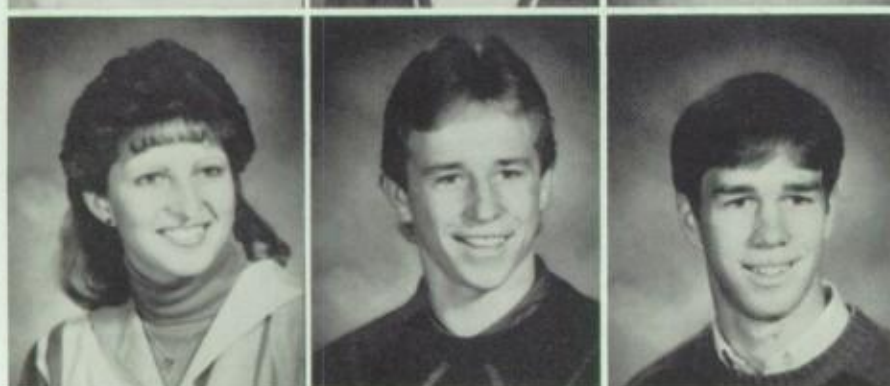
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Rod Franzen



Carrie Frees  
Bryan Freund  
Michael Frey  
Steve Frommelt  
Denise Galloway



Raelynn Galloway  
Deanna Cannon  
Brian Gardner  
Bryci Garien



Linda Geise  
Mike Gimbel  
Al Grau

Matt Green



**...We dare you to find out...**



# Juniors Have Got it



Sue Green

Jim Grell  
Jeff Griep  
Lisa Griep



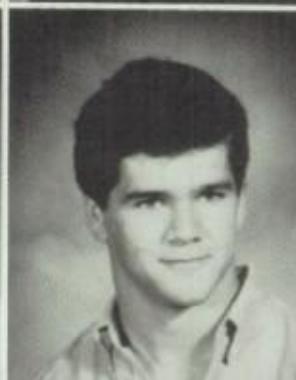
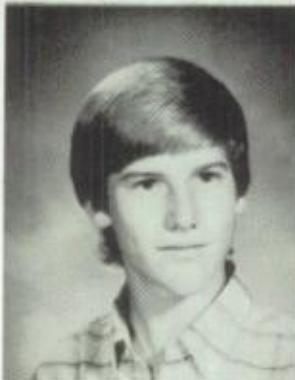
Sherri Grutz  
David Hahn  
Dennis Hall  
Stacy Hall



Mark Hanrahan  
Tom Hanson  
Marvin Hartz  
Shawn Havener  
Penny Heister



Dennis Henningsen  
Sheri Henningsen  
Bill Henricksen  
Julie Hintz



Leah Hinz

Mike Hippler  
Todd Holverson  
Cynthia Hovey





# PERSONALITIES



Seniors, Deanne McColluh and Lisa Burke, and juniors, Lisa Davis and Sue Green, are the four ladies from the swamp showing off their boots.

Sue Canaday will be representing Girls' State held in Cedar Falls.

Missy Olson, junior, placed third in the state competition for a poster publicizing the Iowa Homecoming '86. She received a plaque and a certificated signed by Gov. Brandstead.

Raelynn Galloway will be representing Grand Mound at Girls' State.







Lisa Davis and her band awards.

Tim Sheridan, a junior at CCHS, will represent DeWitt at Boys' State in June 1986.



Lance Schoening will also be representing DeWitt at Boys' State held in Des Moines.



Lisa Davis was named the 1985 Grand Champion Drum Major at the marching auxiliaries of America Corp held at Iowa State University in Ames on July 15, 1985.

The camp was attended by over 300 other drum majors, majorettes and flag corp personnel from schools from many states.

In addition to being named a Grand Champion Drum Major, Lisa received a plaque for outstanding home routine, an excellent rating ribbon for her presentation of "Chattanooga Choo-Choo", a superior rating ribbon for her performance of "Careless Whisper" and "All I Need."

Stacy Hall and Mike Gimbel look over different colleges in the guidance office.



# JUNIORS





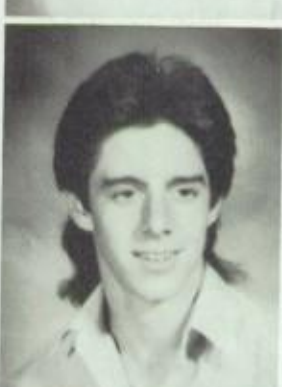
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Scott Jansen  
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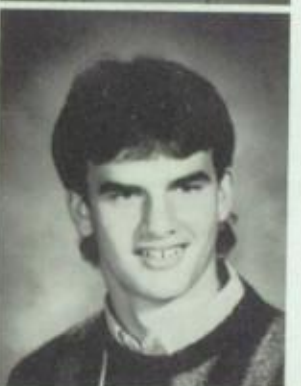
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Tammy Julson  
Rick Kagemann



Paul King  
Tom King  
Colleen Kinney



Matt Kinney  
David Kirby  
Joe Kirkpatrick



Kevin Kleinsmith  
John Knepper  
Tracy Kreis



Kim Kueter  
Chris Kyseth  
Lisa LaBrecque  
Choan Lane  
Shelly Lawrence



Social Studies offers a variety of courses. World History is required of all sophomores, American History for all Juniors and American Government for the Seniors. Other courses offered are sociology, Economics and international Relations (senior seminar) and psychology.

The music department is divided into vocal and instrumental. Class time includes Marching Band, Concert Band, Jazz band I and II, Sophomore Chorus, Mixed Chorus, Chamber Singers, Music History and Appreciation and Music Theory.

The science department has one required course which is biology. The other courses offered are Chemistry, Physiology, Physics and Biochem.

Physical education is required every semester for all students. As a part of the health curriculum for the school district, each 10th grade student must take CPR. Physical education activities include softball, frisbee, j-ball, volleyball, basketball, badminton, table tennis, bowling, conditioning exercise, cross-country skiing, aerobic dance, self defense, weight training, roller skating, golf and tennis. Physical fitness tests are also given.

Art is an elective course for any high school student. Courses offered are Introduction to Art, Painting I and II, Fiber Design, Drawing, 3-D Design, Letting and signmaking, Printmaking and Individual art.



Mr. Fleagle's second hour chemistry class displays their names and nicknames on his famous "write-on-me" board found in Room 13.

Todd Holverson "roasts" Jussi Hanhivaara and Jeff Schmidt in Mr. Williams English class.

Ann Muller and Becky Mackin cruise in the wind the controls of Bill Henricksen during the Homecoming parade.







Lon Lincoln  
Pam McCulloh  
Becky Mackin  
Carrie McDonald  
Matt McGarry



Dan McGuire  
Dean Maynard  
Greg Mickelson  
Cynthia Miller



Tracy Miller  
Ann Muller

Jason Myers



Danny Nielsen  
Tim Ocker



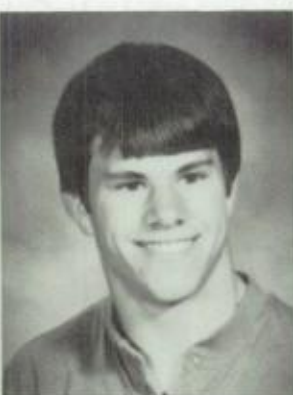
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Tim Ostert  
Lori Palzkill  
Michelle Peasley



Penny Penzkofer  
Jennifer Perry  
Amy Peterman  
Colin Petersen  
Matthew Petersen



Holly Pierce  
 Dan Pinter  
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 Dina Price  
 Cathy Rheingans



Dave Ringen  
 Lisa Rittner  
 Brian Roeder



David Rueter  
 Cindy Ryan  
 Jeff Schmidt



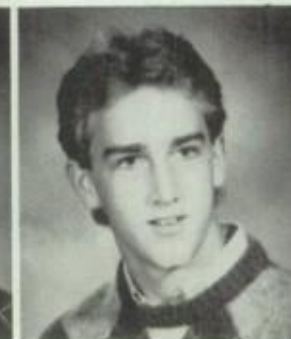
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 Rick Schrader



Rick Schroeder  
 John Schumacher  
 Jeff Scott

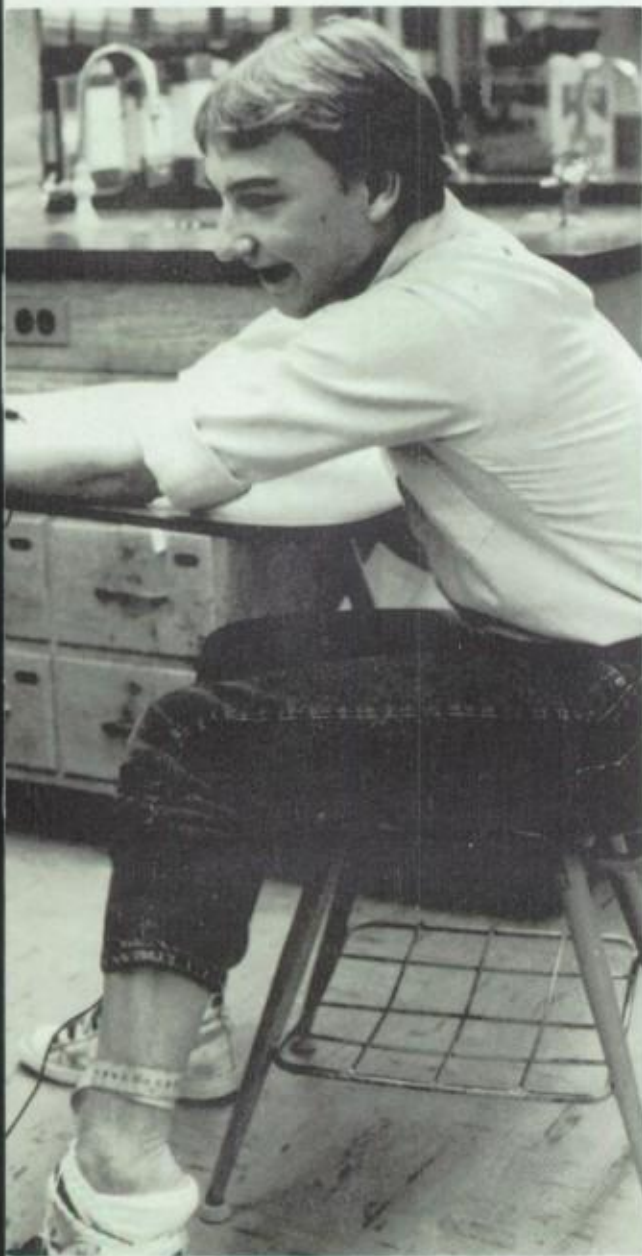


Chris Seastrand  
 Darlene Singelmann  
 Tim Sheridan  
 Mark Smith  
 John Stanford





# JUNIORS



'Hey!! You said this was a joke!!' yells Tim Stuedemann after a recent bout with Mr. Fleagle's electric chair.

Dan Pinter caught in the li-brary.



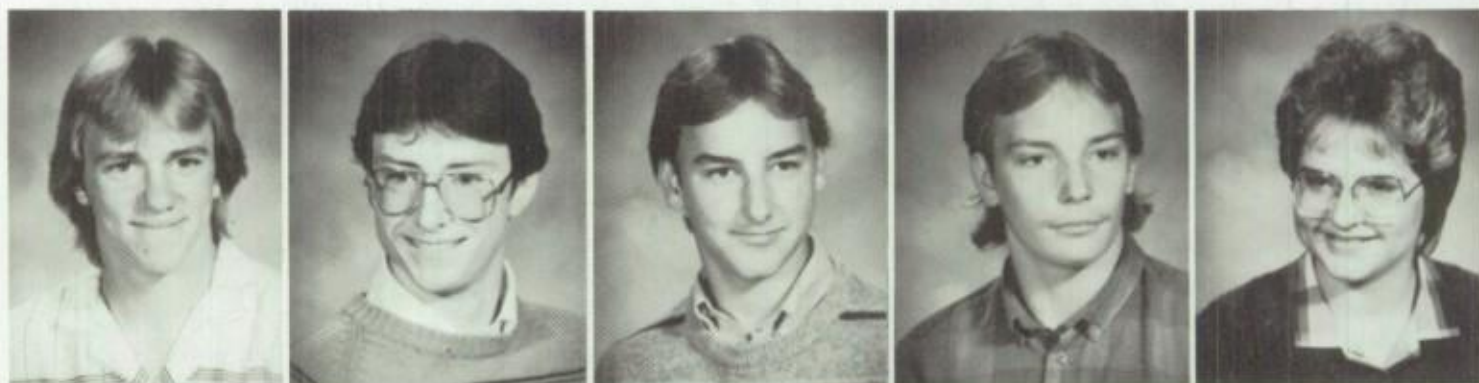
Becky Mackin, escorted by Tim Sheridan, approaches the crowning area for the Homecoming Queen, as DeAnn McCulloh looks on.



All juniors will remember Mr. Bieienburg and the cannon the shop department refurbished.



John Sterbenz  
Ty Stevens  
Tim Stuedemann  
Dan Stutzel  
Wendy Swanson



Roy Tan  
Julie Tobey  
Angela Trimble



Eight CCHS students spent last summer working in the Iowa Youth Corps program sponsored by the Clinton County Conservation Board.

The major project was to build a suspension bridge at Eden Valley Refuge near Lost Nation. The hardest work was at the beginning of the program when the Youth Corps carried the bags of cement across the creek and up the hill to make footings for the new bridge. Other projects were pouring a new concrete floor at a bunkhouse in Eden Valley, replacing another old footbridge at Eden Valley, repainting picnic tables, and making new trails.

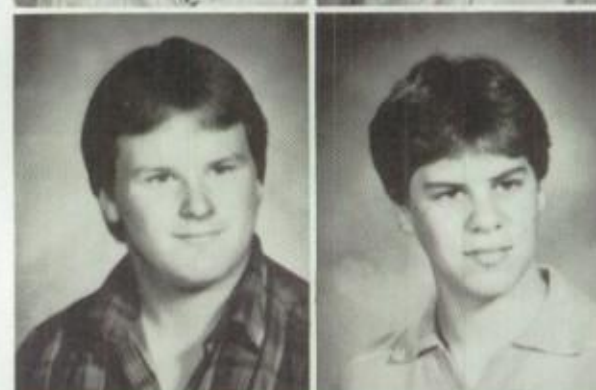
There was time for other things besides work. Participants had to put in several hours of environmentalist education study each week. Hunter safety education, field trips to Goose Lake, Green Island, Elk River, highlighted the educational requirements.

Those participating from CCHS were: Andy Wichert, Donna Galloway, Jay Brady, Renee Beguhn, Becky Mackin, Kevin Kleinsmith, Randy Walker, Linda Geise. Jay Brady and Linda Geise were selected as top members of the Iowa Youth Corp at the end of the summer.

Brig Tubbs  
Konrad Vanderburg



Kevin Voss  
Dan Wagener



Ryan Walker  
Paul Wells  
Andy Wichert



Denise Witt  
Betsy Woods  
Elaine Wright  
Laurie Wulf  
Kirk Yoerger





## JUNIORS PARTICIPATE



Sheri Grutz keeps her eyes fixed on her gun.



The store front window done by Becky Mackin, Jo Jo Baker and Penny Penzkofer.

Ammy Dies, Denise Witt, and Julie Tobey taking a sun bath.





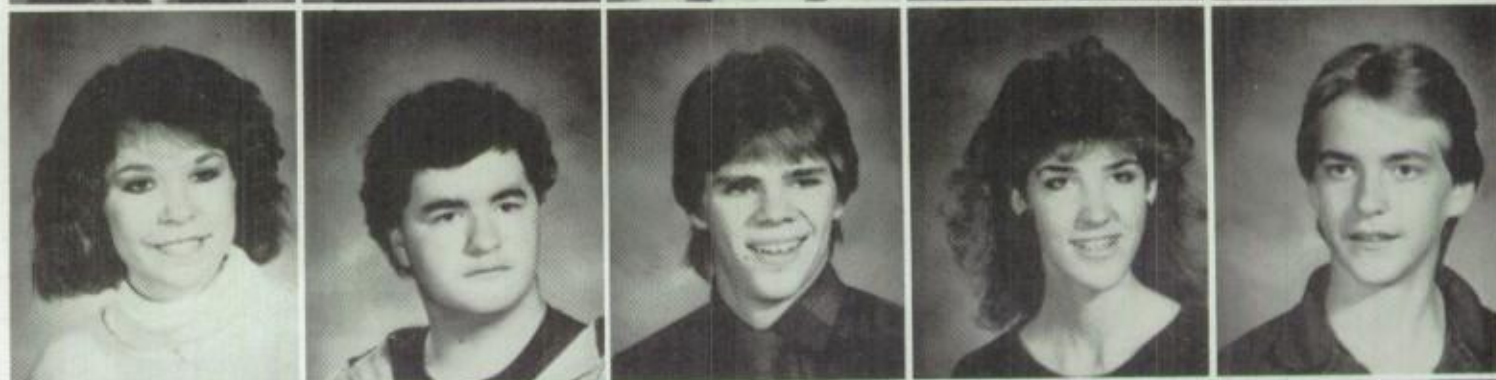
# S O P H O M O R E S



Matt Ahrens  
Brian Albers  
Kathy Alkire  
Tracy Armbrister  
Todd Azinger



Peggy Baker  
Randy Banowetz  
Dan Barr  
Lisa Bates  
Dennis Bender



Jennifer Bender  
Melanie Biel  
Darren Bierman  
Shannon Binegar  
Jan Block



Jay Block  
Bill Bloom  
Lori Boudreau  
Todd Brady  
Michelle Brandt

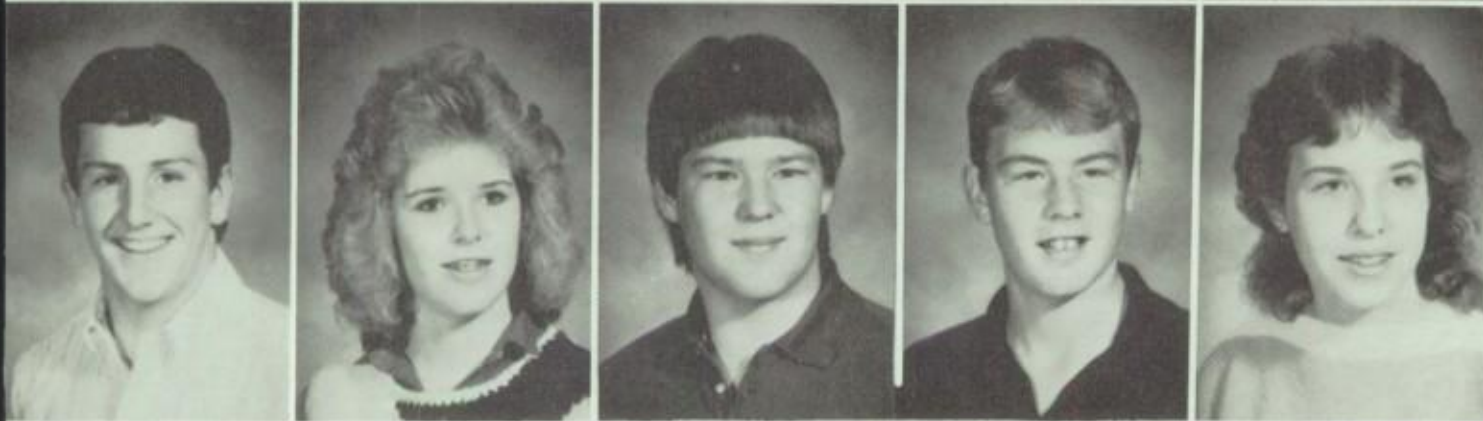




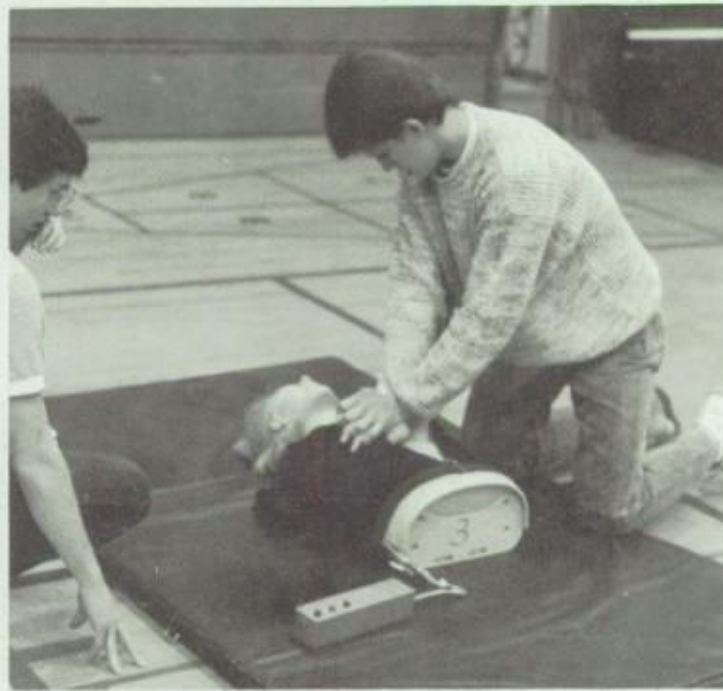
# found new friends



Chris Brooks  
Boe Bruns  
Traci Bruns  
Jason Budinger  
Jason Burke



Larry Burke  
Jenny Burzlaff  
Jim Campbell  
Billy Carr  
Rhonda Casey

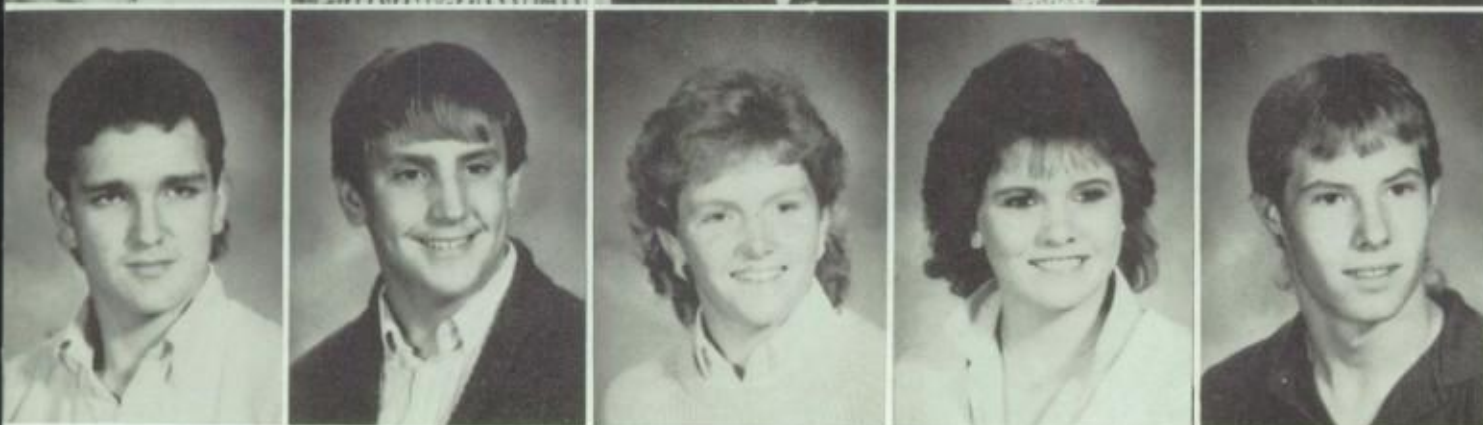


Future Einsteins?

Steve Kuehn wonders whether Jamie Prickett would make it as a paramedic.



Tony Clark  
Sheryl Claussen  
Kathleen Colfer  
Jenny Condon  
Doug Crank



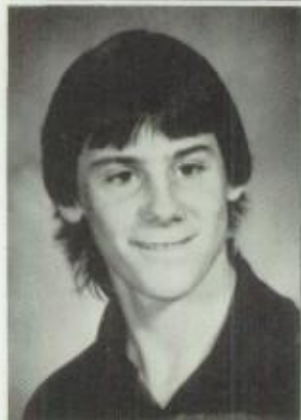
Robert Current  
Trent Dalton  
Heather Deke  
Kari Denahy  
Leonard Elsner



Richard Enyeart  
Julie Falkingham  
Joni Fatchett  
Tony Faudel  
Renee Fisher



Marvin Flammang  
Tracy Flammang  
Shane Flann  
Chris Foote  
Lori Fuglsang



## Sophs

Looking through Mr. Fandel's eyes at his Biology class. No wonder they get good grades!



WOW! Saber Spirit at it's peak!



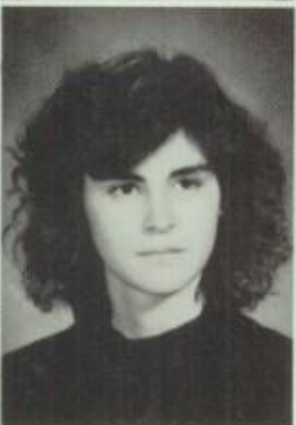
**HELP!**

**TEACH ME**

Jeff Cannon  
Shane Garrity  
Angela M. Green  
Deje Greve  
Chad Griep



Raelynn Haack  
Misty Haessler  
Laurie Hqhn  
Cheryl Harrington  
Greg Hartmann





# Today Holds . . .



Renee Fisher is escorted by; Shane Garrity for the homecoming crowning.

Shelly Brandt does her routine at the indoor marching band concert.

Jennifer Burzlaff, Tony Sheckles, and Mary Howes appear in the queens dream in the spring musical.





# Soph's have great year

Rick Hartmann  
Rochele Hass  
Pressley Henningsen

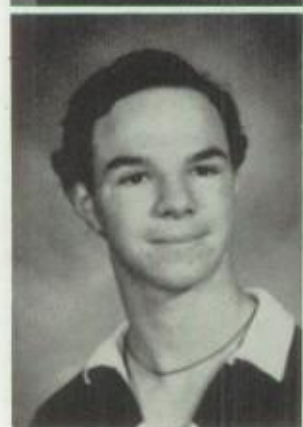
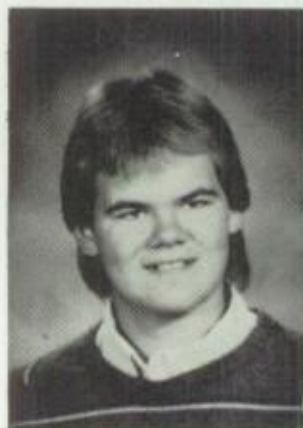
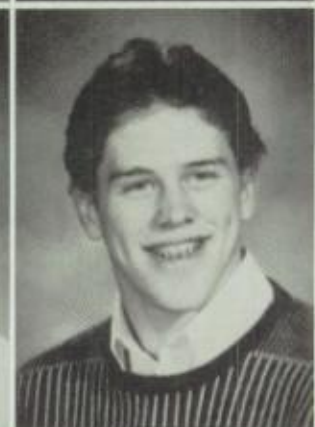
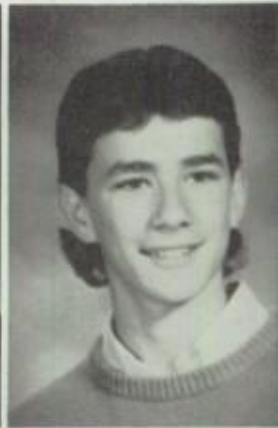
Kris Klaas and Renee Fisher  
hold on for a Homecoming  
Parade ride.

Terry Henningsen  
Mike Henson  
Laura Hetrick

Chad Hintz  
Greg Hite  
John Holst  
Pat Hovey  
Mary Howes

Mike Howes  
Tina Hulsebusch  
Julie Hunter  
Jill Jacobsen  
Angela Jones

Leon Kiggins  
Tammy Kilburg  
Todd Kinney  
Kristine Klaas  
Kristine Kroeger





# You Will Never Forget



Top photo: Brian Albers, Steve Kuehn, Ben Macumber, Mike Lemasters, James Rivard, Mary Howes, Tracy Roeder, Todd Azinger, Jeff Gannon, John Overstake and Chris Foote get to ride on the firetruck during the homecoming parade.

Middle photo: Jamie Prickett, Kelly Petersen, Brian Thomson, Dave Posten, James Pote and Jason Budinger show Mrs. Prichard how it should be done.

Bottom Photo: Santa comes to the Home Ec. class. Jennifer Burziuff comforts a small child as Cathy Rheingens and Michele Bickel look on.



The home economics department does not have any required courses. The course offerings are Clothing I, Independent Living, Foods I, Human Relations, Housing and home Furnishings, and Child Development.

The industrial arts department does not have any required courses. The course offerings are Metals, Woodworking I and II, Drafting I and II, and Auto Mechanics

The vocational agriculture department does not have any required courses. The course offerings are Voc-Ag II and Ag Production. Voc-Ag I is offered at a 9th grade course.

The business department does not have any required courses. The courses offered are Typing I and II, Business Information and Concepts, Record Keeping, Accounting for the Microcomputer, Accounting I and II, Shorthand, and Office Practice.

The students at CCHS may participate in a variety of activities. The activities that they may participate in are: AFS, Annual Staff, Cheerleading, Drama, FFA, Library Club, NHS, Student Council, and FHA.

The athletic participational sports are: Football, Crosscountry, Volleyball, Basketball, Wrestling, Track, Golf, Baseball, and Softball.





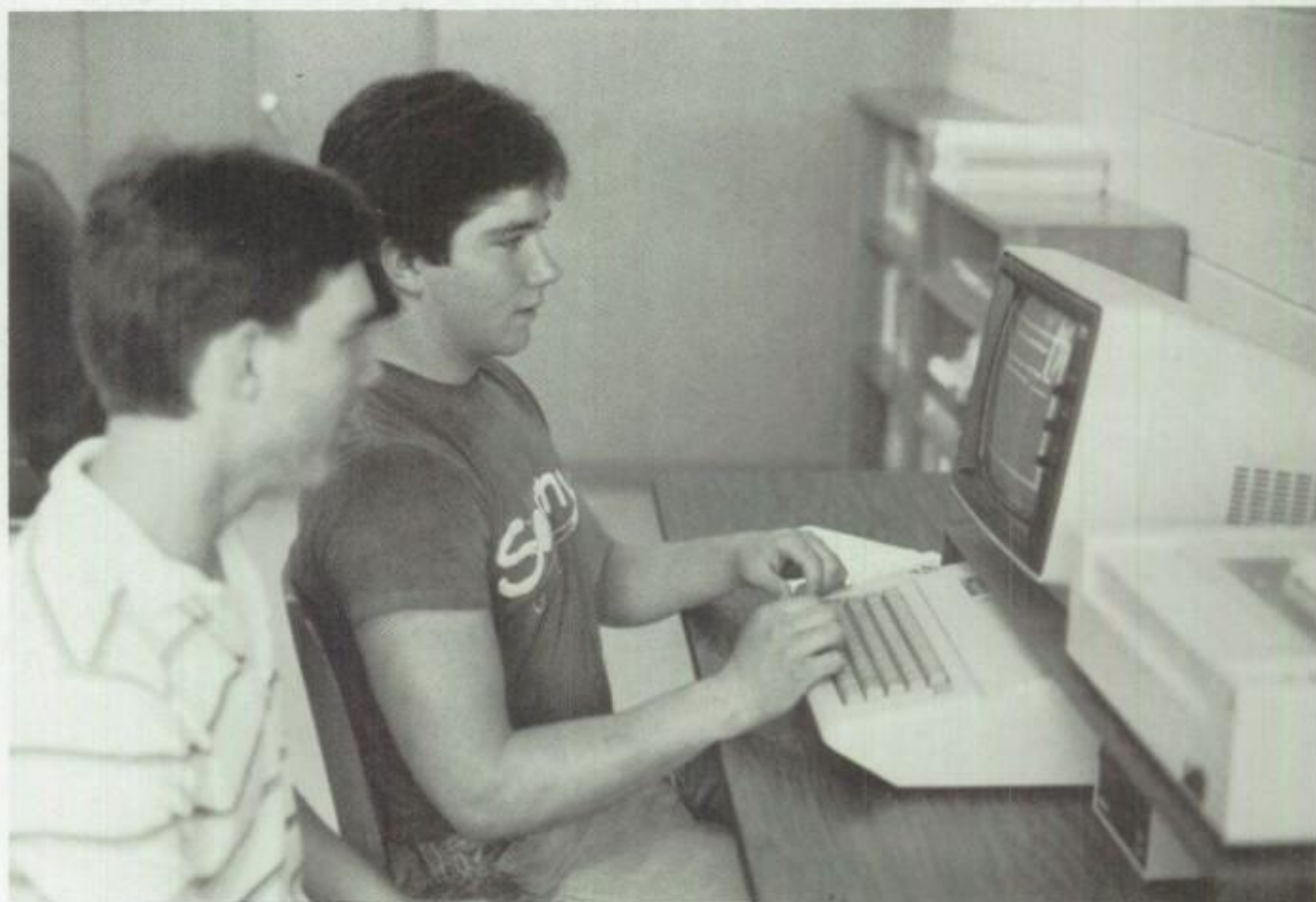
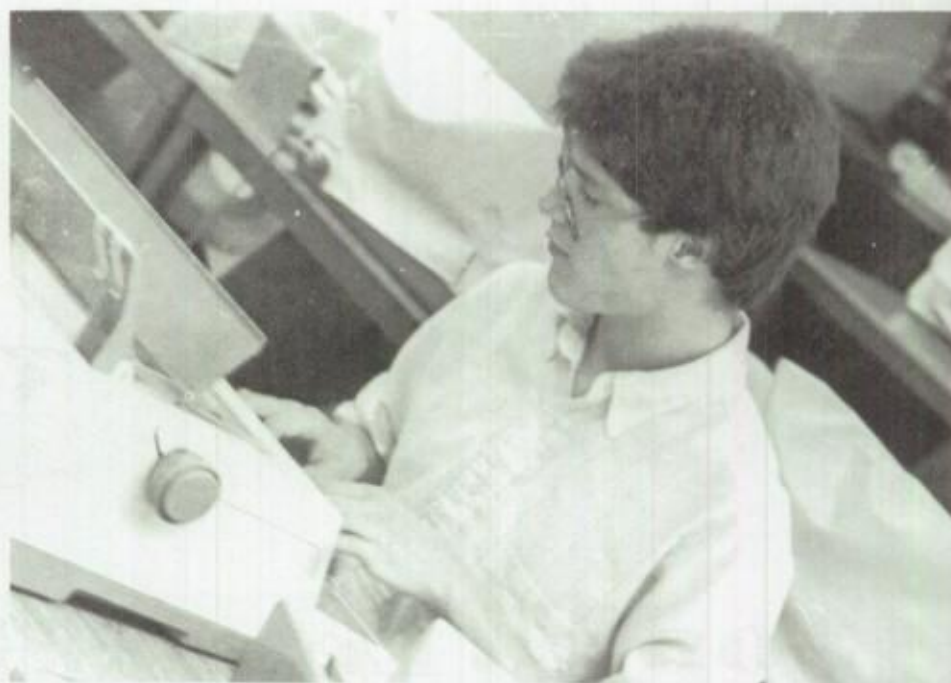
# Kevin Meyer receives Eagle Scout Award

Kevin Meyer received his Eagle Scout Award on November 24, 1985. It was held at 1:30 p.m. at Grace Lutheran Church in DeWitt.

To achieve the Eagle Scout Award, Scouting's highest honor, Kevin planned and carried out a project of planting ten 5-foot white spruce trees in the baseball park near the DeWitt swimming pool.

Kevin has been a Boy Scout since September 27, 1977. He has participated in canoe trips, camp-outs, paper drives, summer camps and other Scouts' Eagle projects. He is a brotherhood member of the Order of the Arrow. Kevin is also a member of the band, jazz band, chorus and Future Farmers of America. He is also a member of the Grace Lutheran Youth Fellowship and 4-H.

Jan Block doing his typing assignment.



Lisa Yoeger, Julie Hill, and Julie Hintz cope with the early learning unit in Home-ec.

Roy Lowery and Tony Sheckles work on the computer program in the English department.

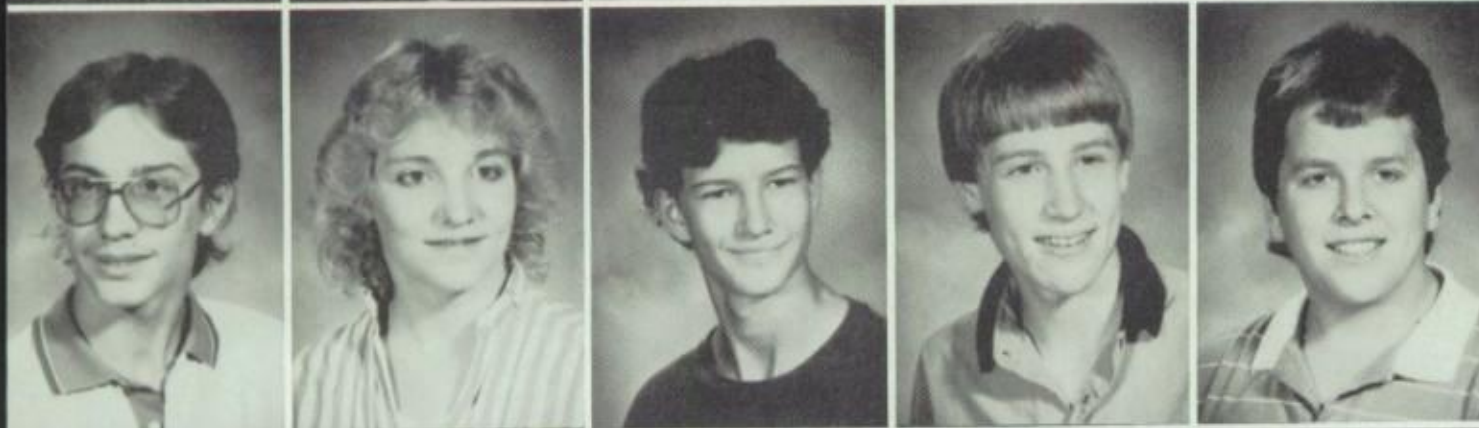




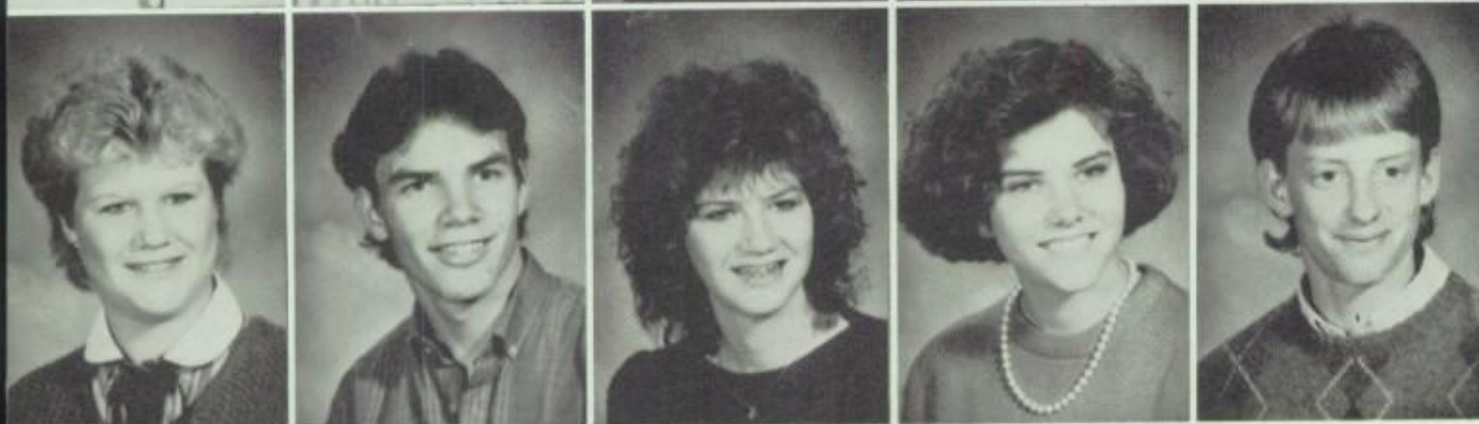
# Soph's Learn High School Ways



Michelle Kuehl  
Steve Kuehn  
Deanna Kueter  
Jennifer Kurtz  
Mike LeMaster



James Licht  
Suzanne Licht  
Max Likens  
Mark Lincoln  
Jamie Lively



Sarah Lomsdalen  
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Jennifer Lucke  
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Ben Macumber



Brad Martin  
Molly Mason  
Mary McGarry  
Michelle McMain



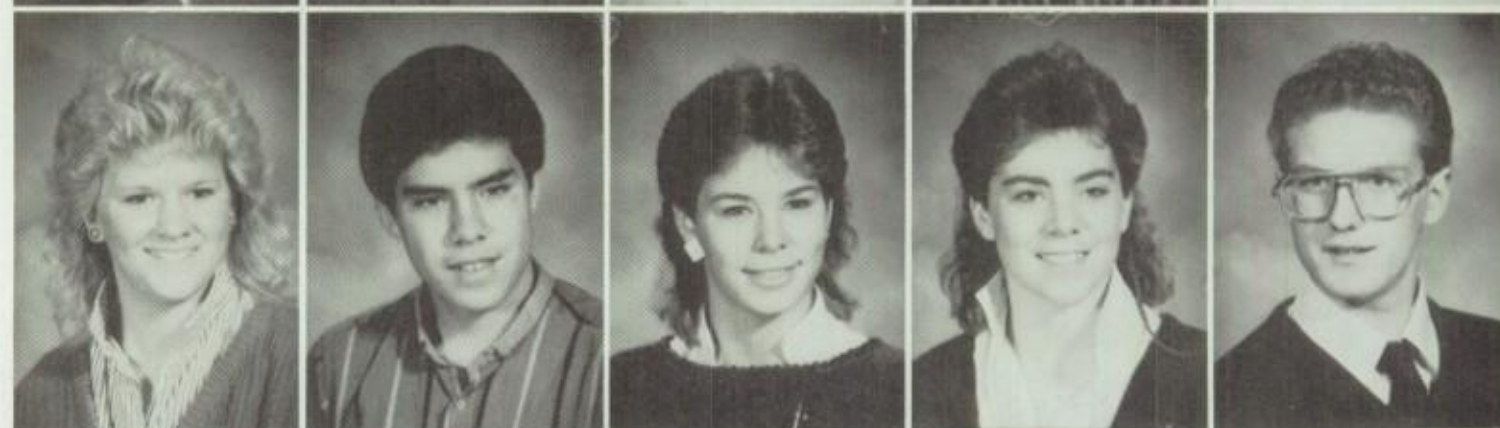
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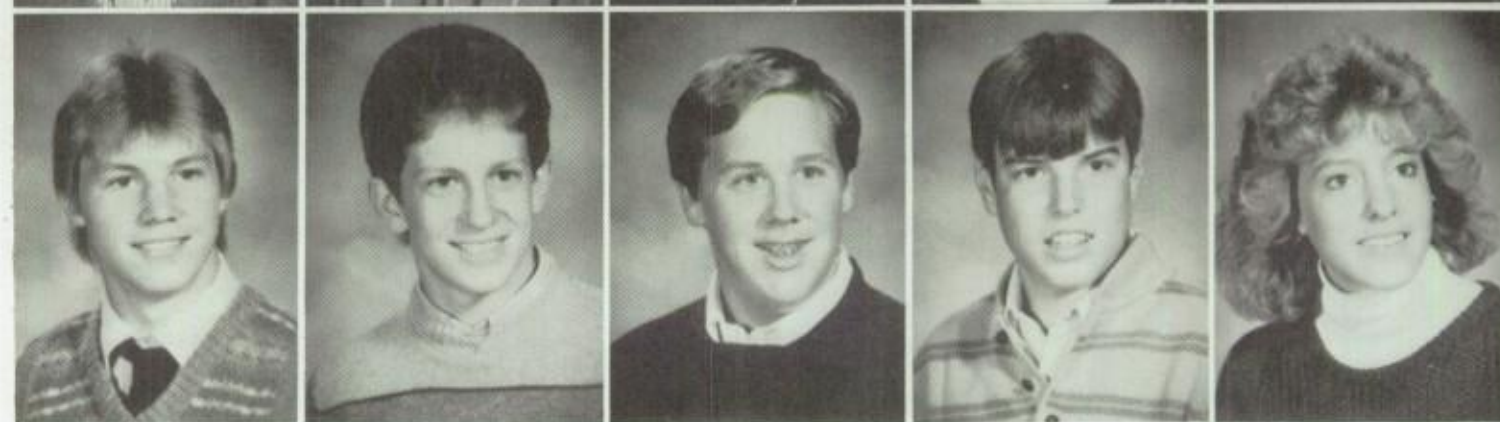
Jim Nugent  
John Overstake  
Traci Patrick  
Robert Paulsen  
Maria Pauly



Tina Peterman  
Andrew Petersen  
Kelly Petersen  
Shannon Petersen  
David Posten



James Pote  
James Prickett  
Scott Rands  
Christopher Rarick  
Jessica Riedesel



These boys have a real  
"thirst" for education.

LET  
YOURSELF  
GO  
IMPROMPTU.





# Sophomores

Sophomore Shannon Binegar asks the cheerleading judge a question while Junior Michelle Eileers puts on her number for cheerleading competition.



## LOWER LEFT: I

Presley Henningsen uses the acetylene torch in the shop class.

## LOWER RIGHT

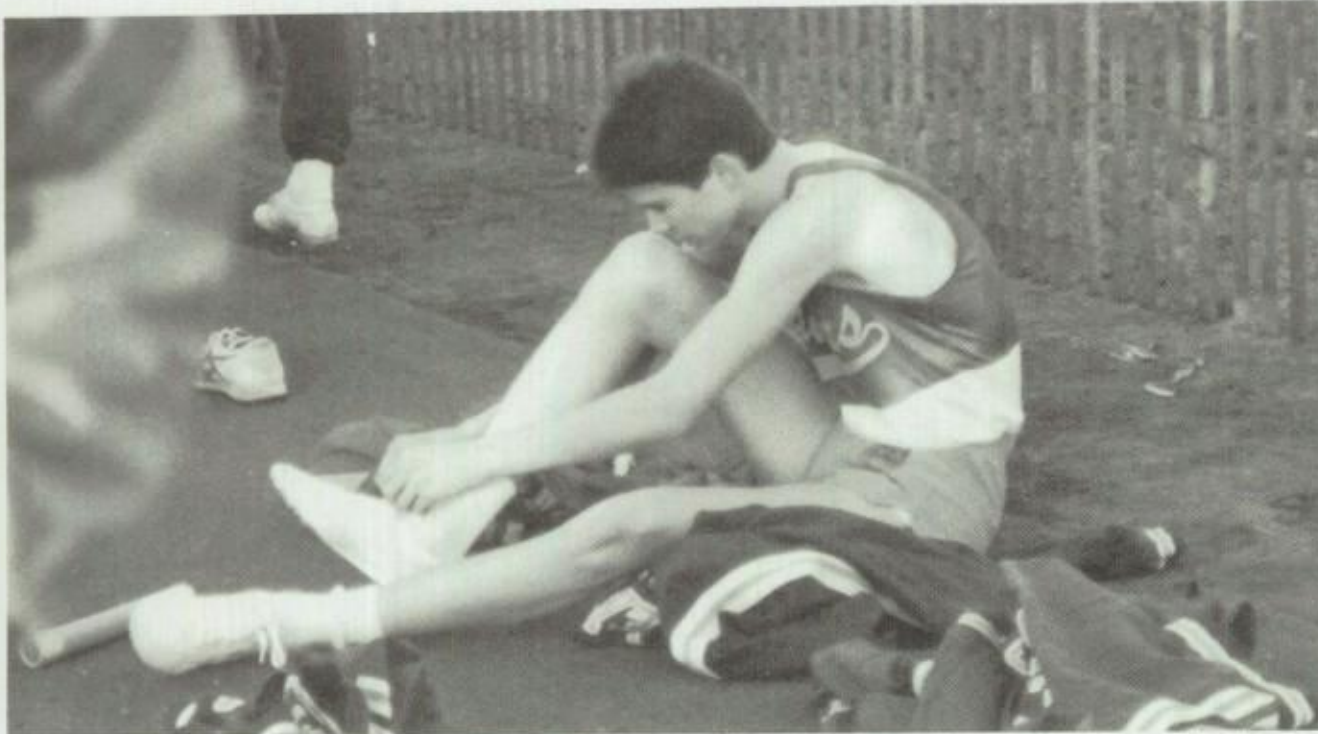
Row one: John Holst, Randy Banowetz, Marvin Flammang, Kathy Kofer, Susue Licht, Sheryl Claussen, Janine Collins, Kristy Kroeger, Missy Haessler, Shannon Binegar, Laura Hetrick, Joni Fachett, Anita Skaar, Michelle Kuehl, Jenny Kurtz, Collene McGarry, Julie Hunter, Tracy Patrick, Angie Waack, Lisa Yoeger, Jenny Burzlaff, Julie Falkingham, --, Heather Deke, Mary Howes, Tracy Armbrister, row two, Rochelle Hass, Jennie Williams, Lara Schumacher, Roy Lowery, Dan Barr, Chad Griep, Pressley Henningsen, Darcy Stuzel, Jennifer Condon, Karen Scheckel, Renee Fisher, Tammy Kilburg, Raelynn Haack.





# A Year We Will Never Forget

Top left: Travis Scheckel takes time out.



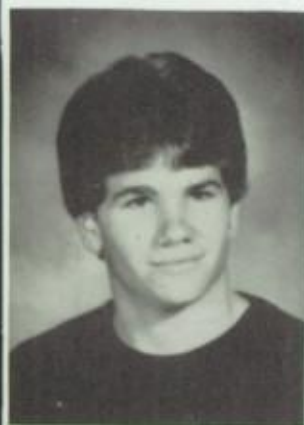
Top right: Todd Azinger uses his muscles at a track meet.



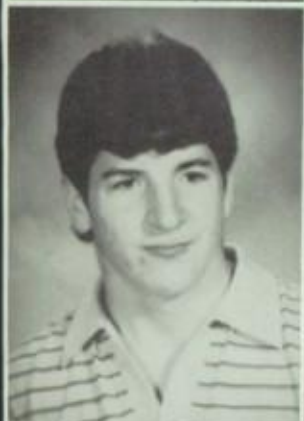
Matt Ahrens is the featured soloist at the honors banquet. Trombone players Eric Nelson, Dan Nugent, Sue Green, Scott Rands and Kent Jurgensen, Drum-Jim Nugent, Bass-Trent Dalton, Keyboard-Lisas Ahrens. Trumpets- Julie Block, Meagan Crowley, Anne Mayberry and Sharon Porth.



# Sophs Enjoy Their Underdog Year



James Rivard  
Traci Roeder



Steve Roling  
Ann Schatz



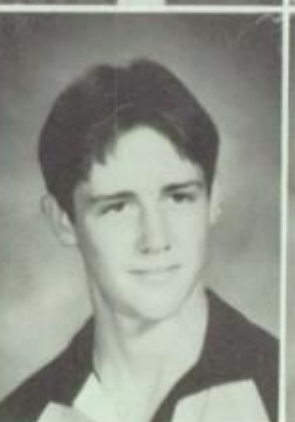
James Pote looks for help as he attempts to tie his sweats at a track practice.



Karen Scheckel  
Travis Scheckel  
Richard Schnor  
Neal Schoening  
Sarah Schultz



Lara Schumacher  
Nancy Seward  
Sally Shafar  
Tony Sheckles  
Brad Simon

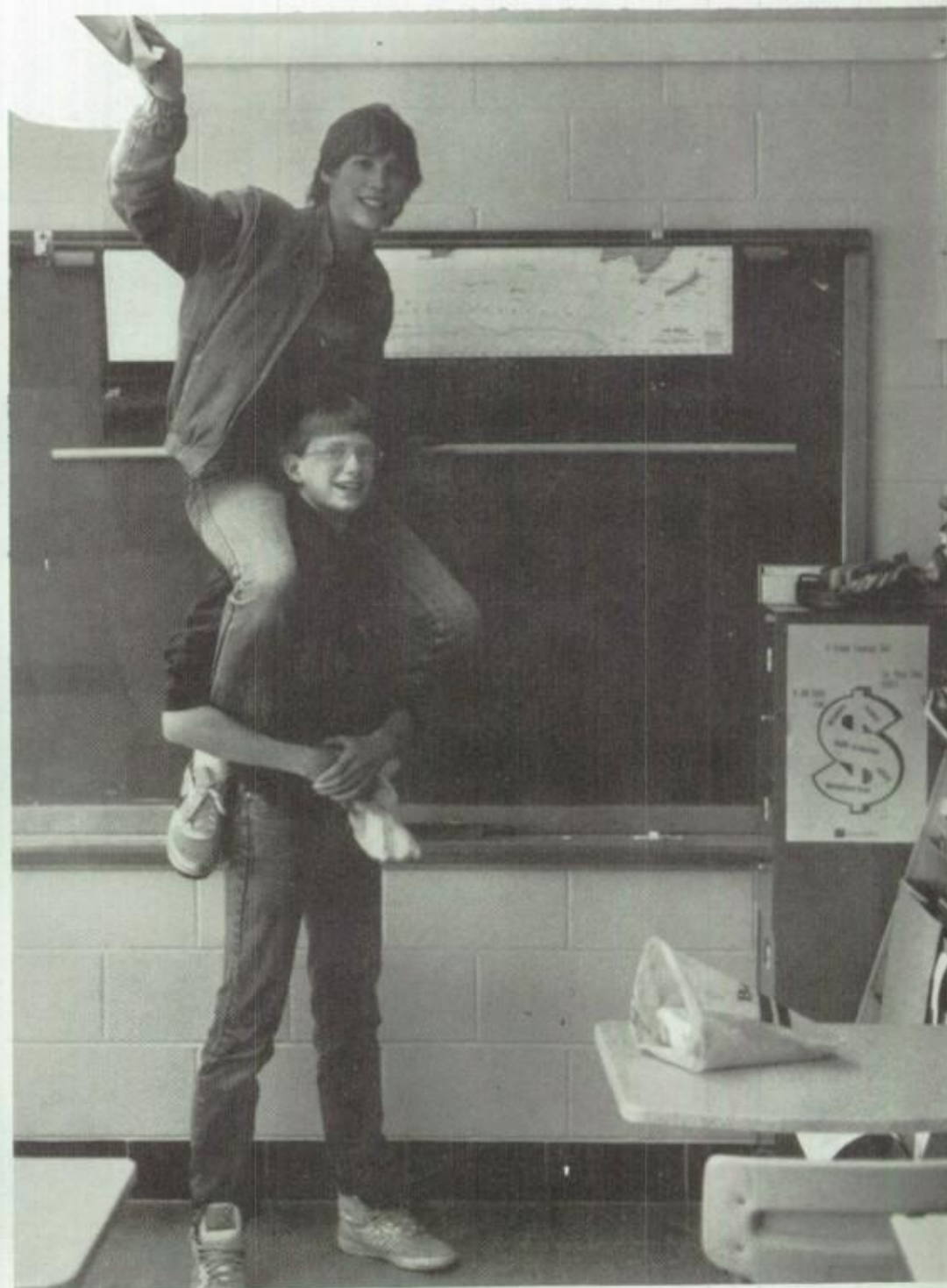


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Mark Soenksen  
Kim Spain  
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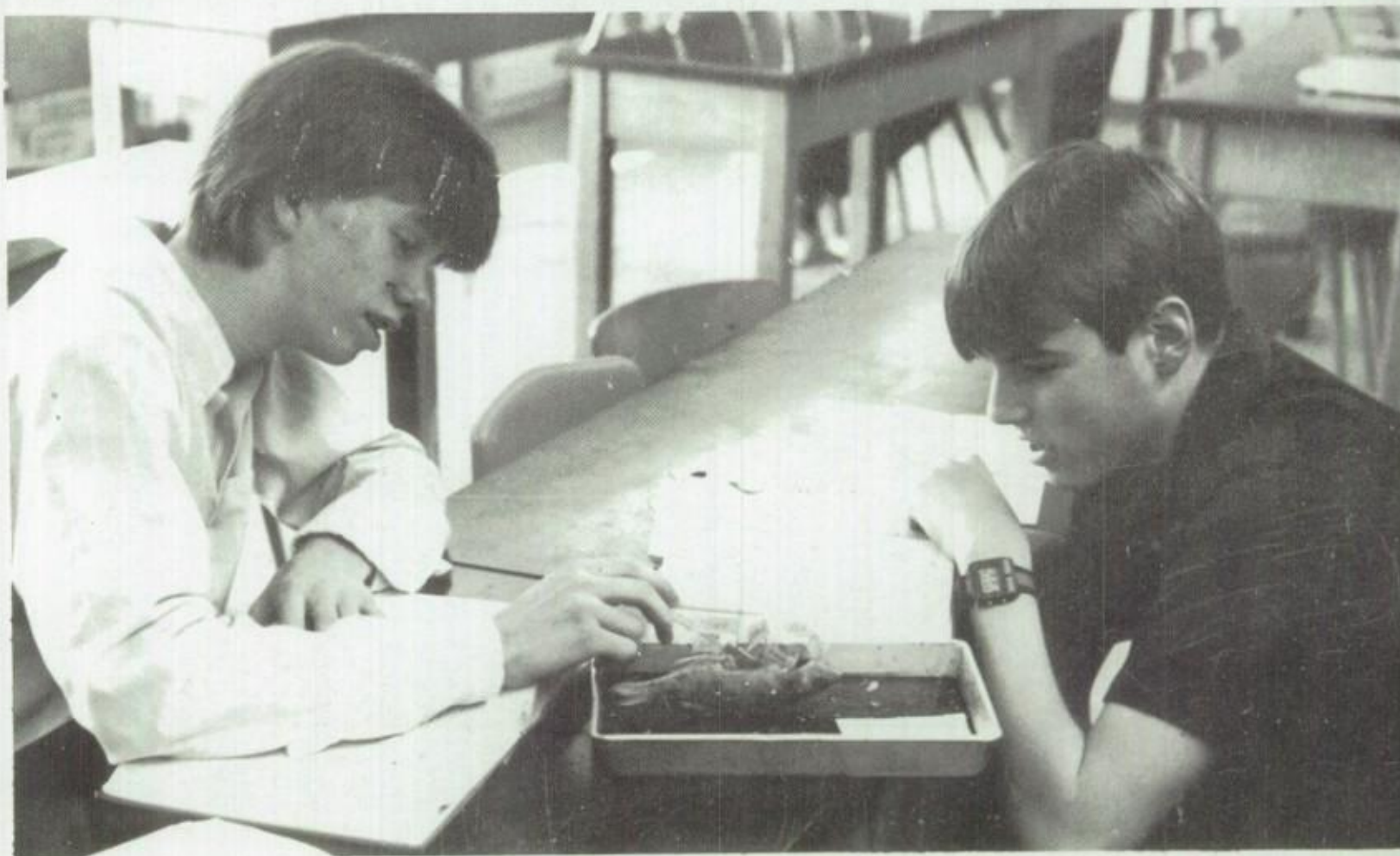
# Soph's — a bit apprehensive

Rick Hartman and Ben Macumber do some high cleaning in the Spanish room during detention.



Trudi Snavelly organizes the sophomore CPR testees.

Shane Garrity and Pete Larsen try to decide what to name their pet fish.







Darcy Stutzel  
Jessica Stutzel  
Sherry Stutzel  
Kari Terrill  
Eugene Thola



Gerald Thompson  
John Thompson  
Bryan Thomsen  
Scott Truelson  
Heidi Vermazen



Donald Vickerman  
Angie Waack  
Shelly Wentworth  
Jennifer Williams  
Darren Witt



Dean Witt  
Lisa Wold  
Sandra Wood  
Frank Worrick  
Lisa Yoerger



Students  
show  
enthusiasm



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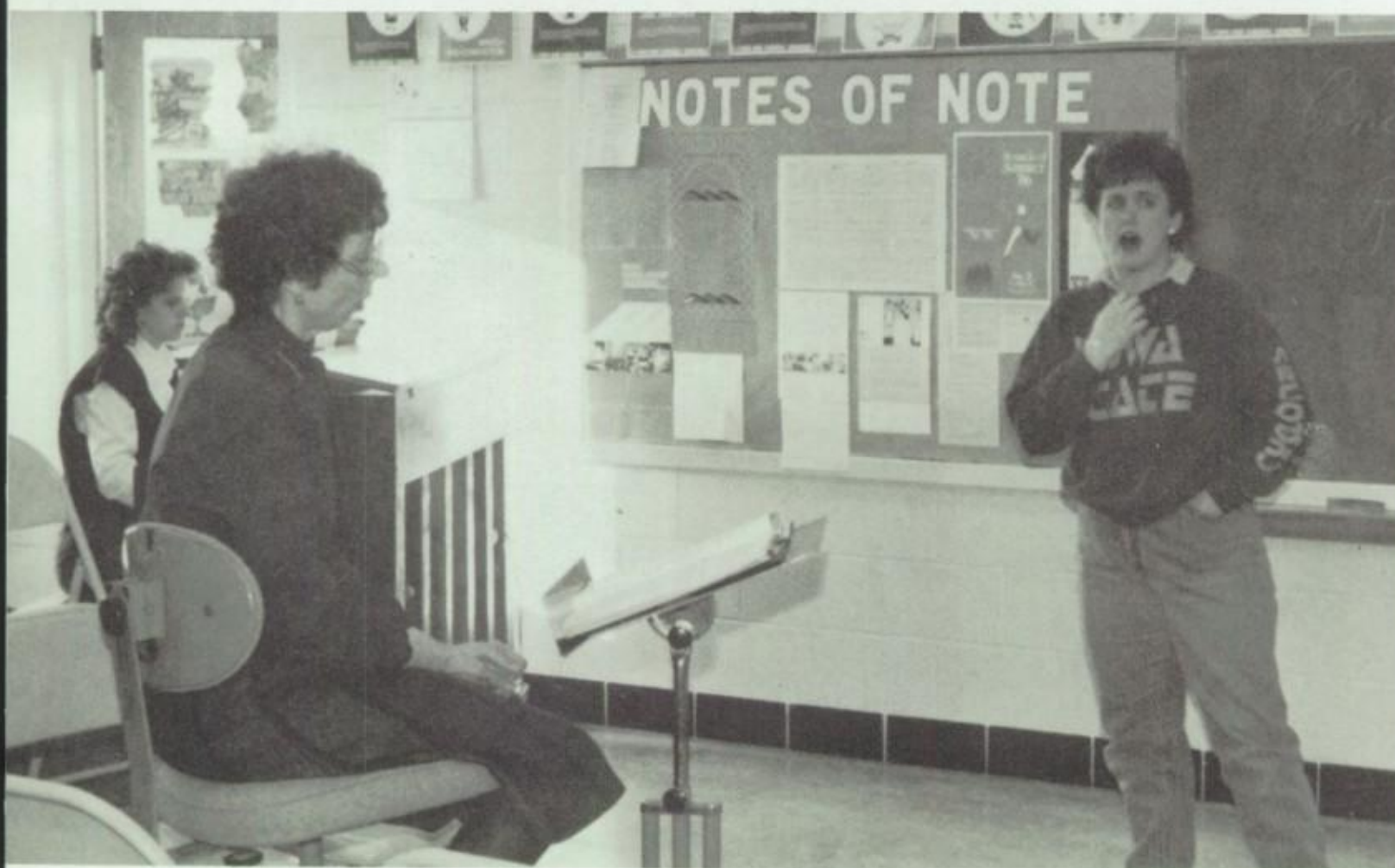


Lisa Burke and Mr. Hetrick show signs of thinking on the same wavelength during musical practice.

# Faculty



"I love my principal!" says Lori Burke as she hugs Mr. Ehrler.



Deanne McCulloh screams in horror at the sound of her own voice as Ms. Eggleston and Kristy Smith simply listen on.



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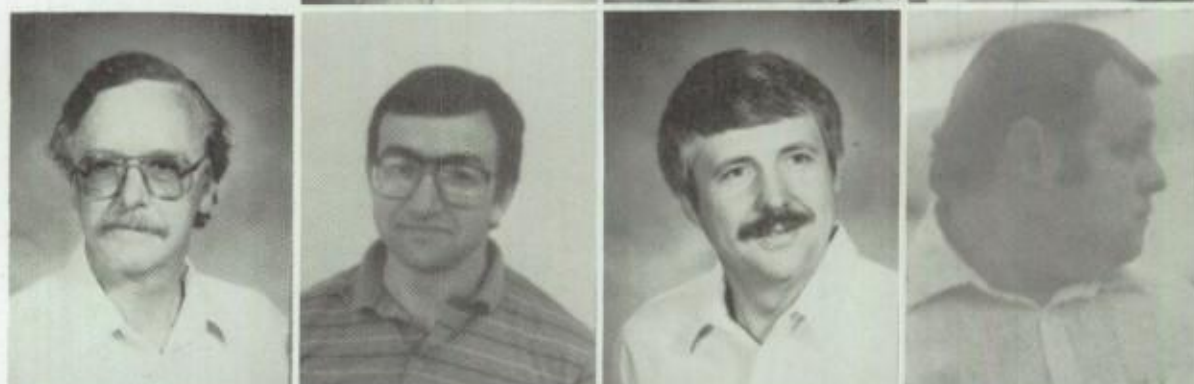
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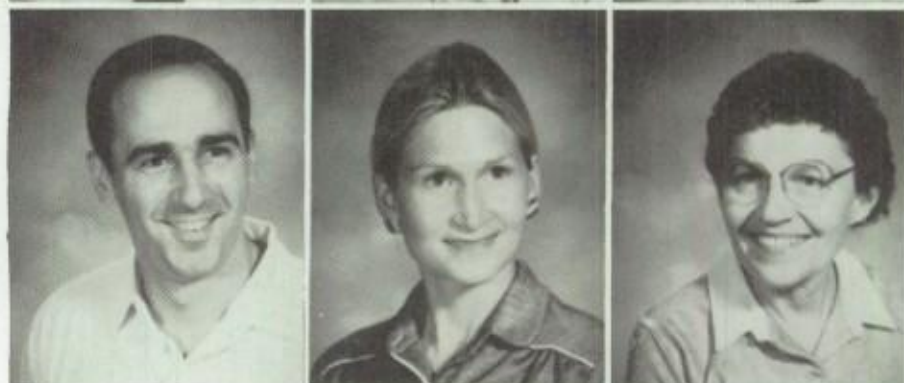
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# WHAT DOES SABER PRIDE MEAN TO YOU?



Riding on the Homecoming '85 CCHS Faculty Float are: Mr. Bielenberg, Ms. Protzmann, Ms. Westemeyer, Mr. Christie, Mrs. Doom, Mrs. Mooley, and Mrs. Eggleston.



Ms. Westemeyer telling Santa her Christmas wishes.



Mr. Williams happy with Santa's candy cane.

It means that wherever our students are and whatever they are involved in, by their actions, speech and manners, they reflect all the best things that our school represents.

Mr. Hlubeck enjoys riding in the homecoming parade with the sophomore football players.

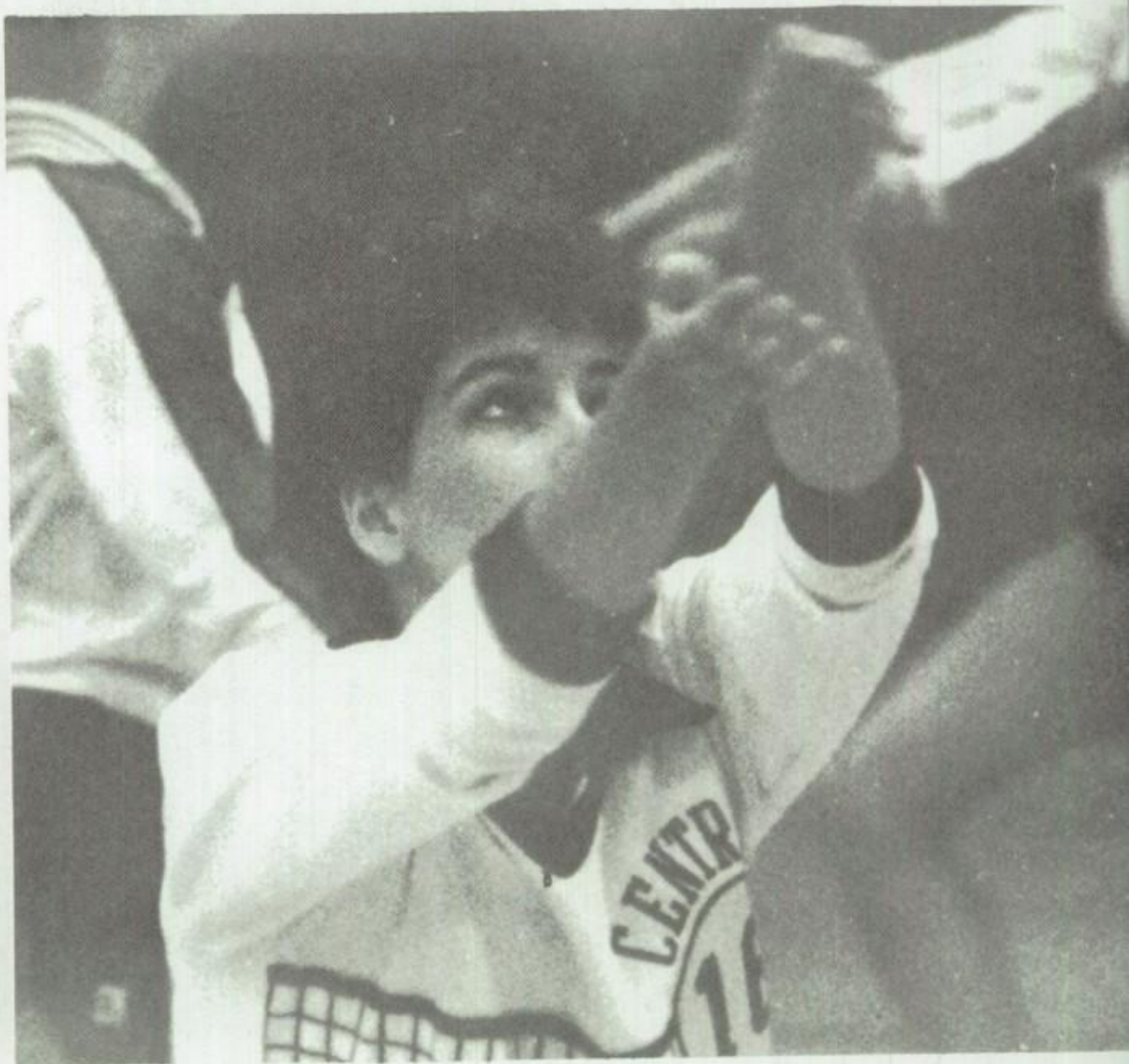
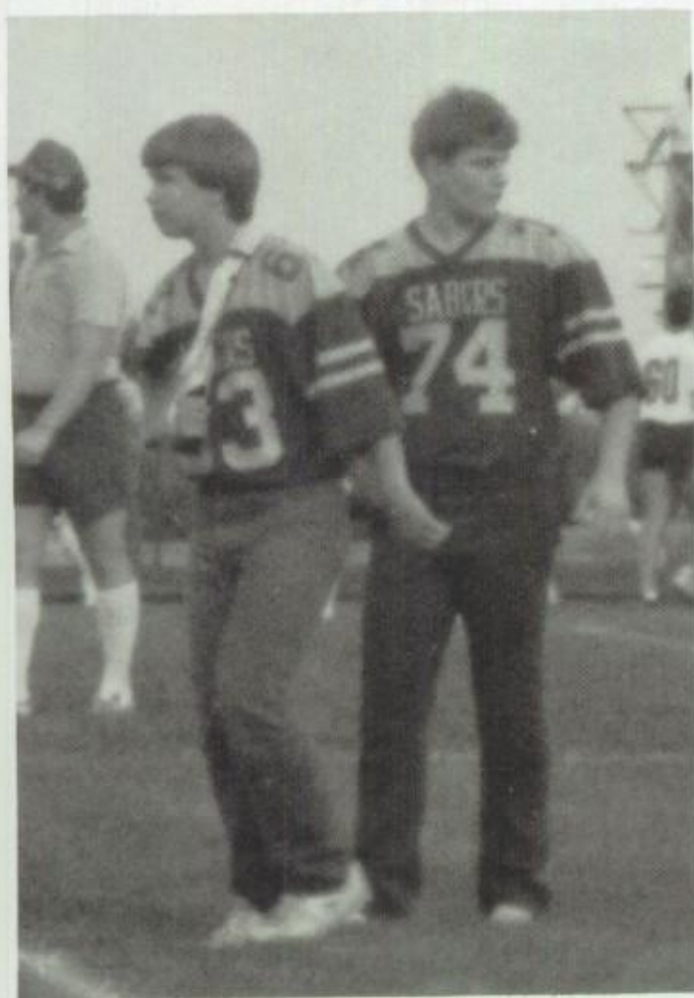


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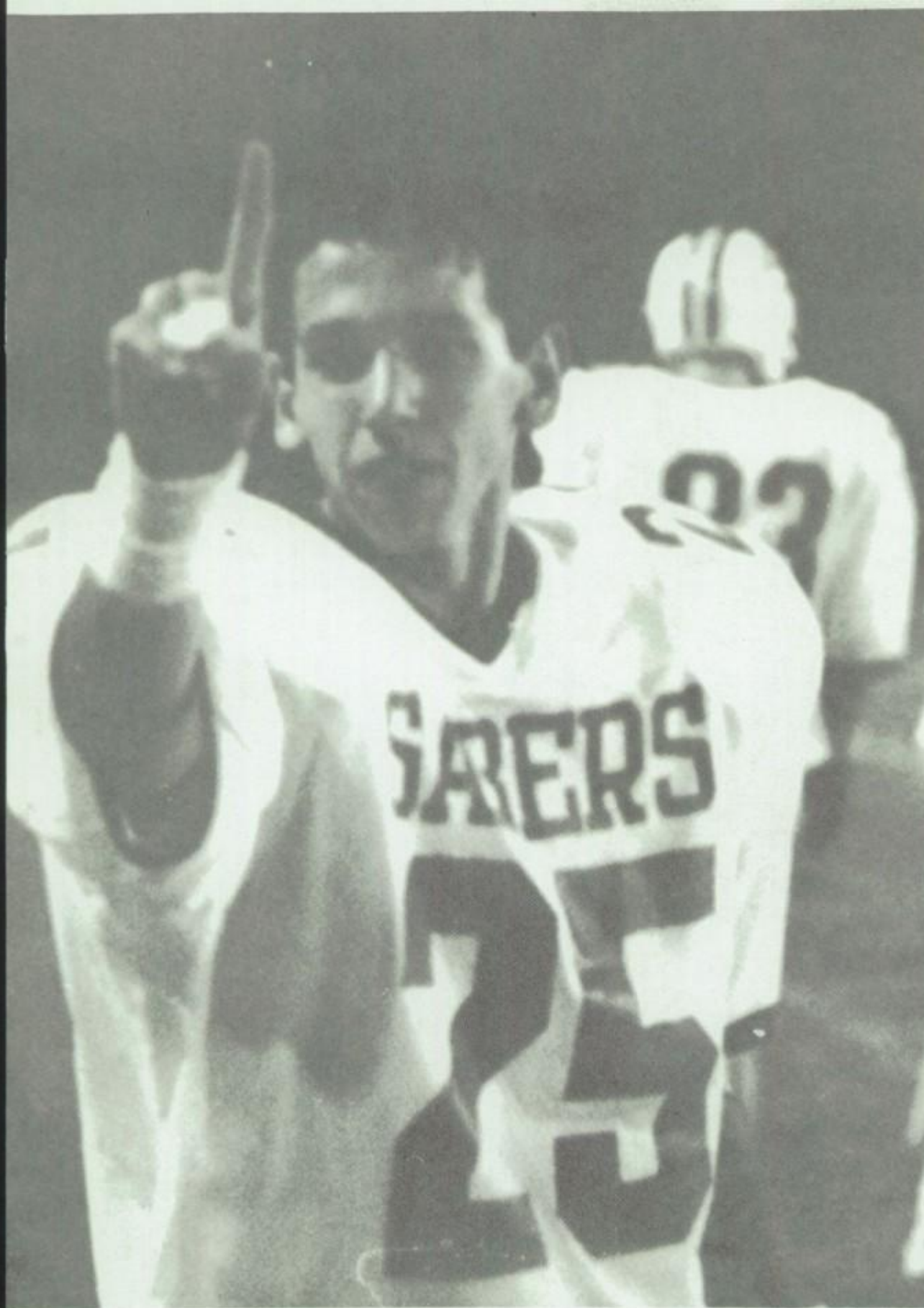
## Sports

Going for points-Mark Ahlers shoots a free-throw.  
Running all alone at Westbrook is Tom Trimble.  
Practicing her hits, Stacy Vetter bunts the ball.

Mike McConohy and Jason Budinger helping out on the field.







Tony Kuehn showing that we're number one.

Thinking over game strategy are Dave Dalton and Dan Nugent.

Holly Pierce, Penny Heister, Sheri Grutz, Julie Tobey, Susan McDonnell, and Ms. Duncan plan out the next play.





The Boys Saber baseball season ended with a 16-22 overall record and a 3-5 Big Bend Conference mark that placed them fourth in the conference.

Twelve records were broken during the season. The record of most games played in , 38, went to Rick Tometich, Dave Green and Tim Sheridan. The record of most at bats in a season, 123, and most times batted in a season, 135, went to Tim Sheridan.

The record of the most runs in a season, 35, most walks in a season, 29, most stolen bases in a season, 45, and most stolen bases

in a career, 101, went to Brian Bowman. Tim Sheridan tied most singles in a season, 3.

Team records stabilized were: most stolen bases, 154, most games, 38, most singles, 251, most innings pitched, 260.

The team tied marks for most doubles, and most triples 12.

Matt Moore joined an elite group of high school players in the United States on Wednesday, July 10, when he hit two home runs in the second inning of the second game of a doubleheader with Clinton at DeWitt. Only 13 others share this record of hitting a pair of homeruns in an inning in the nation.



Dave Green winding up for the pitch.

Brian Bowman and Dave Dalton conversing strategies.  
Matt Petersen ready and alert waiting for the ball.







Choan Lane releasing the ball off the mound.

Matt Moore and Dan Nugent taking a break on the field.

First row: bat girls, Janine Hodgett, Jean Hughes.  
 Second row: Mark Anderson, Tim Sheridan, Matt Petersen, Brian Bowman, Dave Dalton, Rick Schroeder, Mike Frey, John Howes  
 Third row: Assistant coach Mike Davis, Matt Moore, Dan McAleer, Dan Nugent, Rick Tometich, Dave Green, Choan Lane, Darren Witt, Coach Greg Weller.



## Won A Few - But Still Had

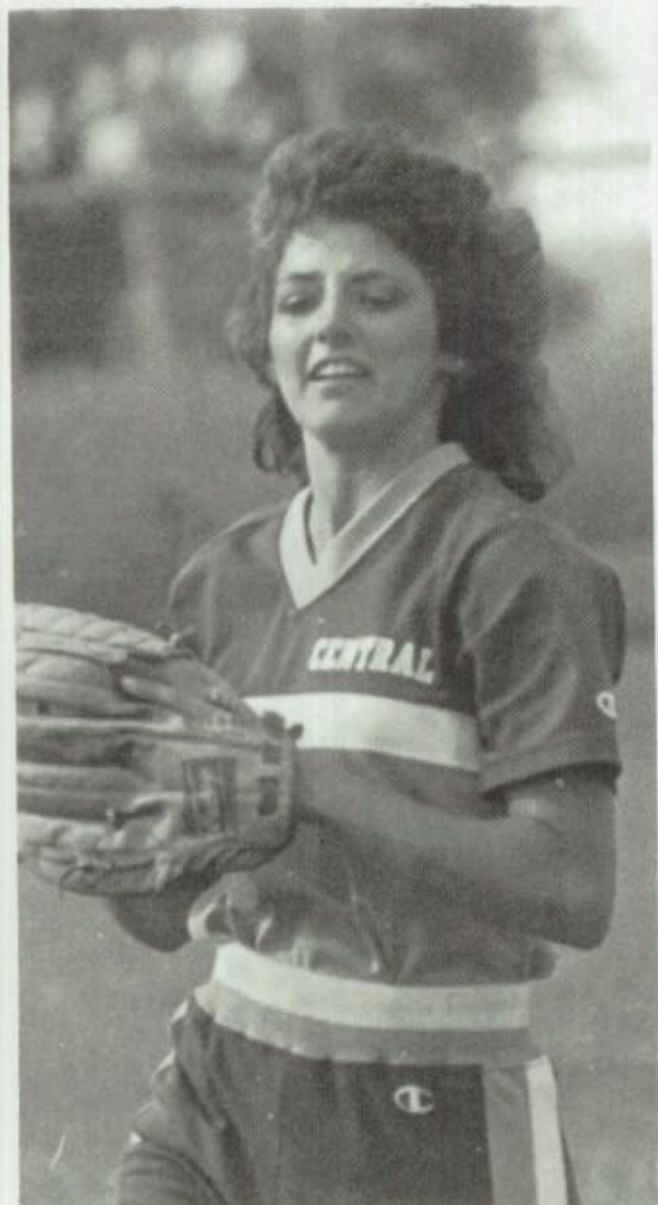
### Fun

The 1985 summer season for the Saber Girls' Softball team was a year of struggling, winning only a few of their games throughout the season.

"The team had lots of fun," Wendy Moore said, "but we didn't win a lot." The Seniors had a kidnap breakfast for the ninth graders. The Seniors had to get up at 3:00 a.m. and then die at practice. A watermelon feed was held with their parents after one game. Pieces of the watermelon were whipped at everybody afterwards. A team trip to Wacky Waters also proved to be a fun time for the entire group.

The Sabers placed fifth in the conference standings. Pleasant Valley won the league title. This was the last sporting event for the Big Bend Conference.

Wendy Moore has the ball and is getting ready to throw it.



All of the girls worked extremely hard throughout the season, trying to work around the many injuries during the season.

The team consisted of four seniors, two juniors, seven sophomores, and eight freshman. They were lead by Coaches Joleen Eiklenberg and Dawn Overstake.

Marlis Fuller releases the ball off the mound. Who's going to catch the ball, Lori Palzkill or Wendy Moore?

Where's the ball?







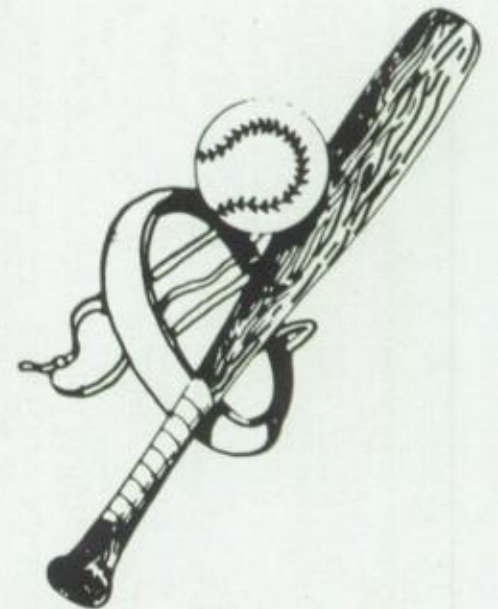
Sheila Kagemann backs up Kathy Flammang while a Clinton member slides to base.



First row: Kathy Flammang, Julie Ditter, Marlis Fuller, Sheila Kagemann, batgirl Rhonda McMann. Second row: Denise Galloway, Julie Tobey, JoJo Baker, Jill Tobey, Wendy Moore, Lori Palzkill, Lisa Davis, Sheri Grutz, Kim Kueter Third row: Coach JoLeen Eilkborg, Jennifer Williams, Tina Peterman, Lori Bordreau, Nancy Seward, Jill Jacobsen, Peggy Baker, Betsy Lincoln, Renee Fisher, Coach Dawn Overstake.

Two players received honors this season. Shella Kagamann received honorable mention and Lori Palzkill repeated as first team selection as a utility player.

The team voted the most valuable player as Marli Fuller; most valuable defense player as Kathy Flammang; and the most valuable offensive player as Wendy Moore.

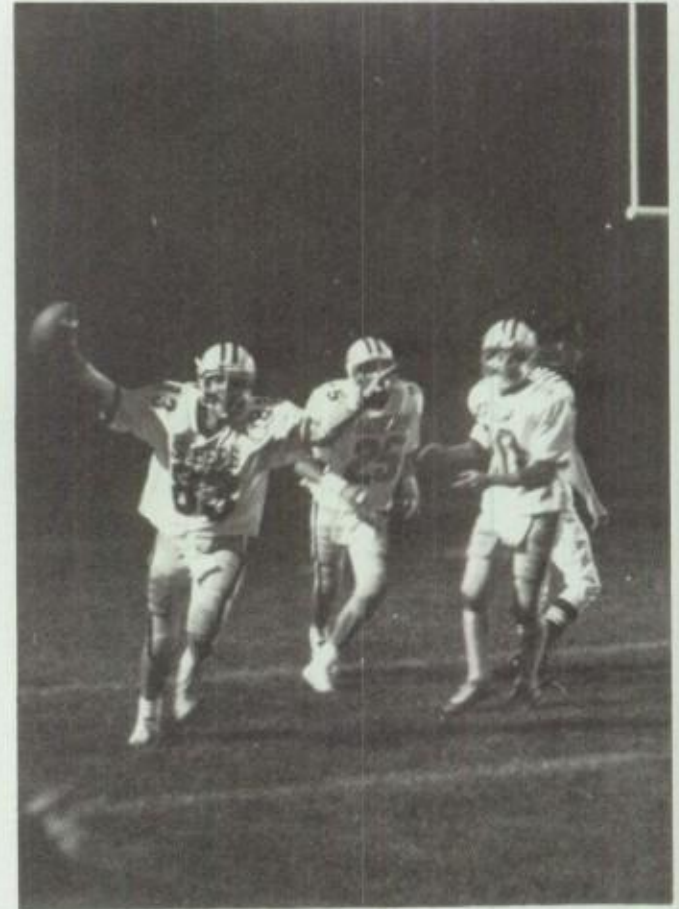




# KEY TO SABER'S SUCCESS IS 'TEAMWORK'

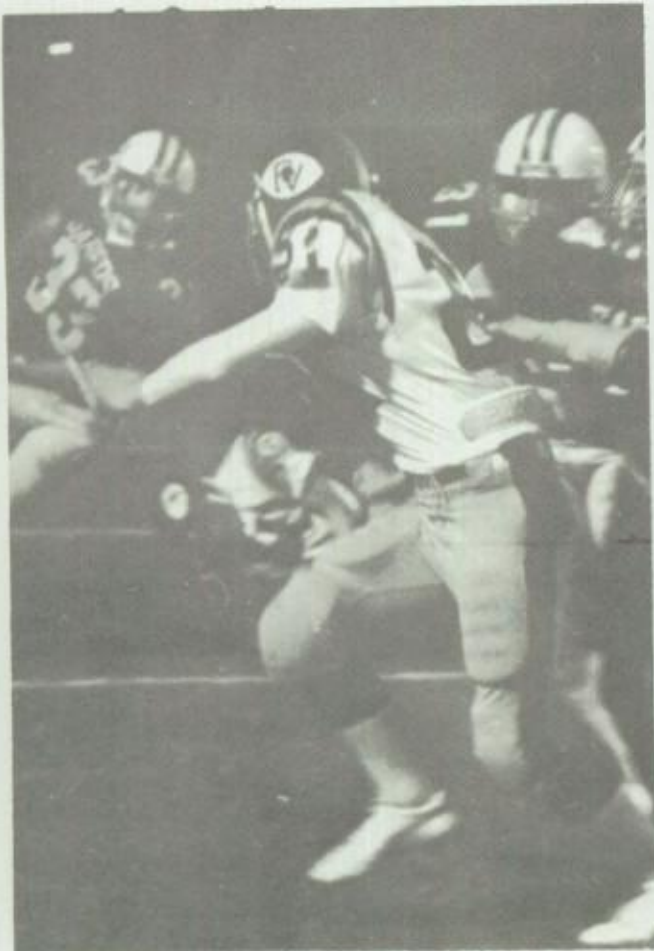


Bob Burmeister, Tony Kuehn and Matt Peterson celebrate a touchdown.

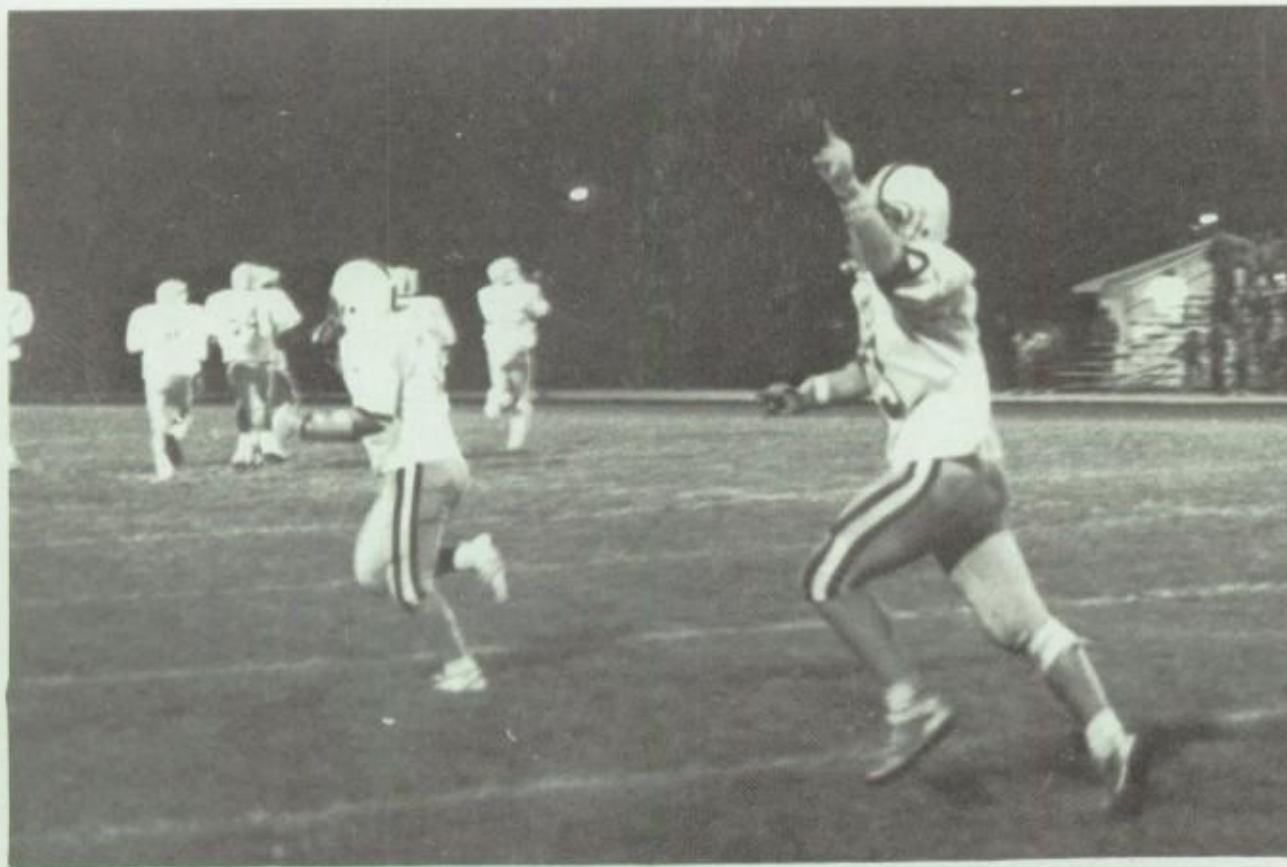


Choan Lane tries to run through the Pleasant Valley defense.

While John Howes holds the ball, Dave Rueter kicks it.







Jim Seward signaling number one after the winning touchdown against Olwein.



Varsity Football compiled a winning record of 6-3. This was coach Dwight Spangler's 12th winning season while at Central.

The Sabers were ranked 10th in the state's class 3A poll early in the season. A playoff spot was still in their mind until after being defeated by Camanche and Pleasant Valley. Both of these teams qualified for the state playoff.

Highlites of the season, according to Mark Anderson, "was the Oelwein game when we were down so far and then cameback to win 28-27." Full back Dean King found the Washington game on the highlite "It was a good win especially since we were not expected to win, 21-0."

Jeff Palzkill, a 226-pound senior, was chosen to the All-Eastern Iowa first team as an offensive tackle.

Jim Seward, a 197-pound senior, was picked for the All-Eastern Iowa second team as a defensive lineman.

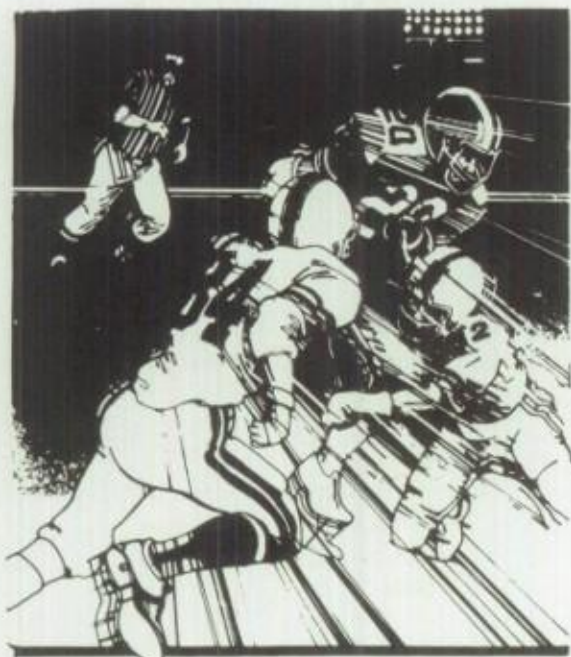
John Howes ready to pass.

The 1985-86 Varsity Football team: Back row: Coach Fletcher, Coach Spangler, Bryan Casad, J. Brandt, Todd Hoverson, Kent Jurgensen, John Kleinsmith, Colin Petersen, Paul Wells, Robert Claussen, Tim Ocker, John Knepper, Assistant Coach Meade. Third Row: Lee Swanson, Jim Dierickx, Dean Maynard, Jeff Griep, Jason Myers, Lance Schoening, Dave Rueter, Mark Howard, Mike Frey, and Kory Budinger. Second row: Doug Lomsdalen, Shawn Havener, Matt Peterson, Tim Ostert, Dan Pinter, Mike Gimbel, Bill Henriksen, Ty Stevens, Jim Grell, Paul King, Choan Lane, Dan Nugent. Front row: Jim Seward, Mark Anderson, Tony Kuehn, John Howes, Mike Frohwein, Steve Grau, Jeff Palzkill, Dean King, Chris Deke, Bob Burmeister, Wade Burkes.



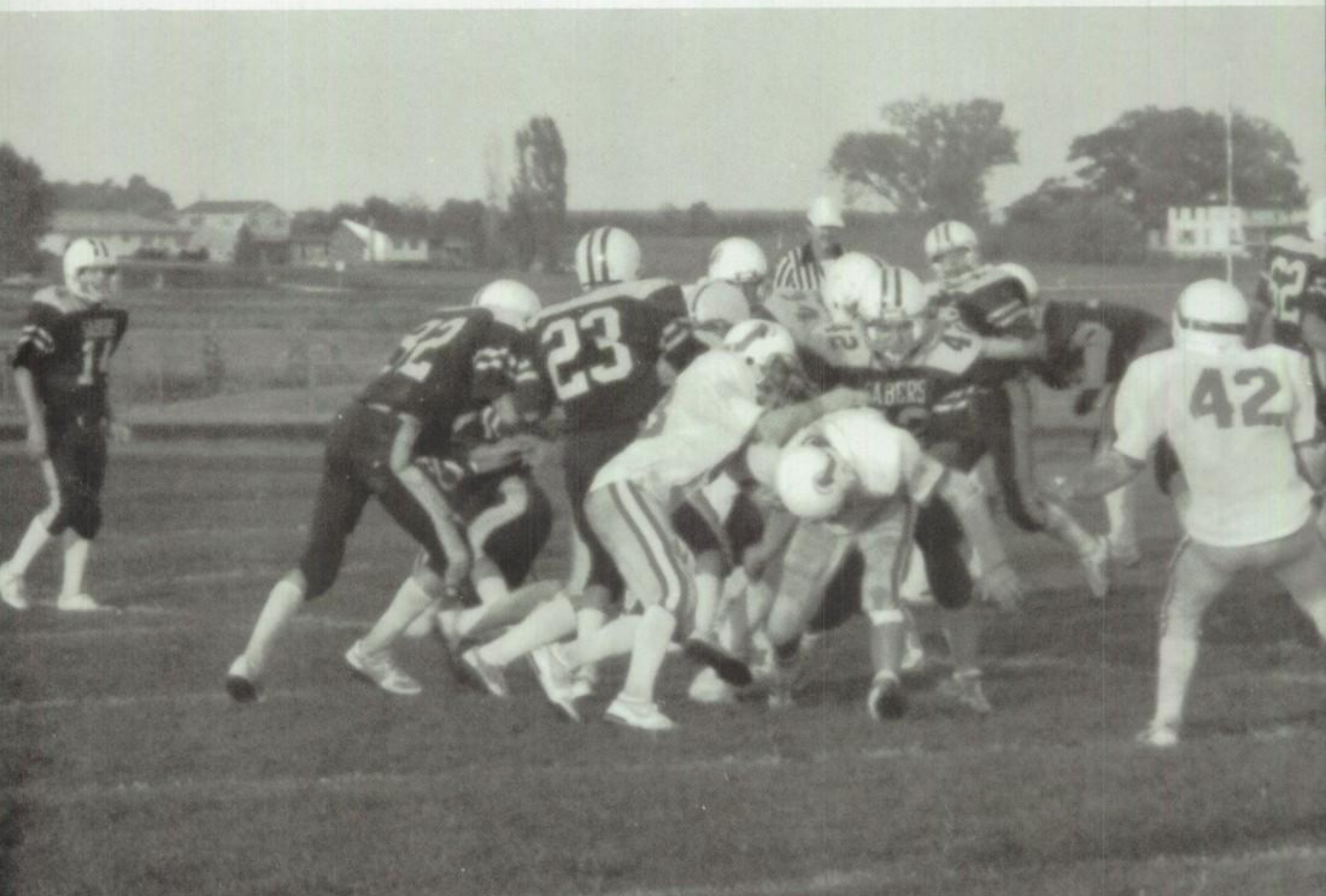


# SOPH TRIUMPH IN STRENGTH AT SEASON FINALS



The Saber Soph football team won their last 3 games of the season to finish with a 3-4-1 record.

Coach Williams was pleased with his team "We've come a long way since that first game. The last game of the year should really be a showcase to show everyone and yourselves what you've learned. So obviously, I'm pleased with the way we played."







1985-86 Sophomore Football team: First row: Tod Azinger, Mike Henson, Steve Kuehn, Ben Macumbe, Jeff Cannon, Bill Bloom, Brian Albers, Mike LeMaste. Second row: Jim Nugent, Bryan Thomsen, John Overstake, Tony Sheckles, Jamie Prickett, Doug Crank, Jim Rivard, Terry Henningsen, Jason Budinger. Third row: Coach Williams, Jim Campbell, James Pote, Neil Schoening, Greg Hite, Shane Flann, Todd Kinney, Chris Foote, Coach Hlubek.



Standing by the water is Bill Bloom.





# Volleyball



Sharon Porth lead the serving with 94.7 percent and ended the season in second in serves receiving 46.1 percent.

Holly Pierce lead the serve received with 47.8 percent and was second in serving at 92.8 percent. She and Deb Feddersen tied with ace settings with eleven each. Julie Tobey had the most ace serves with twenty-two.

The team voted for the most improved was

Anne Bloom, Best Defensive player was Janine Hodgett and Stacy Vetter was voted best offensive and most valuable player.

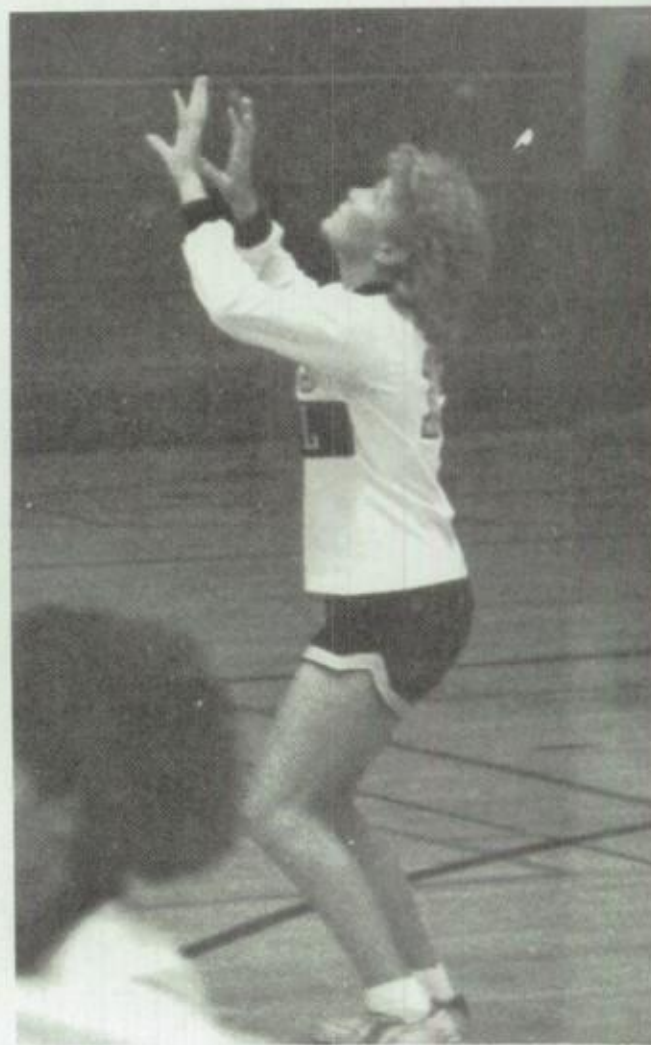
The team motto was "We possess the desire to win." The bench will be remembered as their cheerleaders as they chanted their motto. The refs even commented after games about the cheerleading techniques of the bench.

Other members of the team said they would never forget the Mater Dei Shower Room.

Setting up the ball is Heather Deke.



Working together to win the game are Holly Pierce, Cynthia Miller, Jill Tobey, Stacy Vetter, Lori Palzkill, and Lori Burke.



The Varsity Volleyball Team finished the season with a 10-14-4 match record and a 39-43 game work.

The Saber team was lead by co-captains Stacy Vetter and Janine Hodgett. The coach was Pam Duncan.

Cynthia Miller had fifty-six aces to rank sixth and successfully received 46.6 serves to be ranked twelfth.







Janine Hodgett was voted as most valuable defensive player. Ann Bloom was voted to be the most improved player. Lori Burke finished with an average of 3.6 aces per game to finish fourth best ever, Holly Pierce averaged 2.22 to rank fifth. Lori Palzkill connects on 95.4 percent of her serves to rank fourth best ever and also had fifty-three aces to rank her seventh.

Jill Tobey, Cynthia Miller, and Holly Pierce are ready for the next hit.

Stacy Vetter, a strong-side hitter, averaged 3.19 ace-spikes per game to set a new school record; ranked twenty-sixth in the state and had a hitting percentage of .403. She was named most valuable player and most valuable offense player by her team members. Stacy was named to the All-State seventh team by the Iowa Girls' High School Athletic Union. She was listed on the third team in Class 2A.



Holly Pierce getting set to bump the volleyball.

While Stacy Vetter jumps up to pike the volleyball, Lori Burke, Janine Hodgett, and Lori Palzkill are prepared for the backup.



# Girls Cross Country Squad Vow to Qualify For STATE

For the first time in Central Community High School's History, the girls cross country team qualified for state in 3A. They qualified last year in 2A.

Melanie Selby, Chris Jacques, Karen Schekel, Cathy Rheingans, and Debbie Clark made up the team that participated in the State 3A Track meet at Ames, November 2nd.

To qualify for State, the Sabers placed fourth at the district held at Cedar Rapids-Washington. Melanie Selby remarked, "It was really a thrill just to qualify to go to state." Only the top four teams and the top six individuals advance to the state meet. DeWitt is the second smallest of the state's 64

schools in 3A. Senior Melanie Selby placed twelfth with a time of 12:32 minutes, Junior Chris Jacques finished sixteenth with a time of 12:47; Sophomore Cathy Rheingans placed thirty-fourth in 13:29 and Freshman Debbie Clark placed thirty-ninth in 13:35.

"I thought they were nervous and their times were a little slow, but I can't complain - It's always nice to go to state." remarked Jim Hetrick of their performance.

The Sabers placed ninth out of sixteen teams at the State 3A meet held at Verrnker Memorial Golf Course in Ames. Eighth place

was won by only one point. The Sabers had been ranked seventh in the state before the meet. Melanie Selby placed twentieth with a time of 12:30, Scheckel placed thirty-first with a time of 12:42, Jacques placed fifty-second in 13:01 and Clark was sixty-sixth in 13:20, Rheingans was seventy-fifth with 13:42. The state meet was won by Pleasant Valley.

In the lead is Dan McGuire with Curt Rheingans close behind.



Running at a meet at Westbrook Park are Melanie Selby and Karen Schekel.

First row: Matt Ahrens, Travis Scheckel, Shane Garrity, Mike Howes, Pat Vickerman, Chris Brooks, Kevin Meyer, Tom Meier, Randy Banowetz, Troy Stevens, Shannon Hurt, Andy Schmidt. Second row: Chris Jacques, Cathy Rheingans, Shelly Lawrence, Angie Bauer, Jean Hughes, Jean Hahn, Angie Trimble, Traci Bruns, Sheila Lawrence, Debbie Clark, Karen Schekel, Melanie Selby. Third row: Larry Burke, Tom Trimble, Keith Green, Todd Reeg, Matt Zimmerman, Jeff Schmidt, Alan Grau, Dave Schnurr, Dan McGuire, Brian Barnes, Al Thomsen, Mark Ahlers, Jussi Hanhivaara, Steve Hughes.







Twenty eight boys ran hills, valleys, and more hills vying for a spot on the CCHS Cross Country team.

Todd Reeg, a senior took first place at the Saber Invitational by clocking a best ever, 10:02. He missed qualifying for state by finishing 7th instead of the needed 6th place finish.

The 1985 Cross Country returning letterwinners: Cathy Rheingans, Melanie Selby, Karen Scheckel, Jean Hahn-Jeff Schmidt, Keith Green, Todd Reeg, Al Grau.

Al Grau placed second at the Muskie Invitational with a time of 10:43. "I liked the course," stated Al, "so I did my best time."

Dan McGuire placed 15th at the Maquoketa Invitational and 10th at the Muskie Invitational.

Dave Schnurr placed 25th at the Clinton Invitational. Dave as well as Dan stated, "the highlight of the season was winning the Muskie Invitational and the Combination trophy."

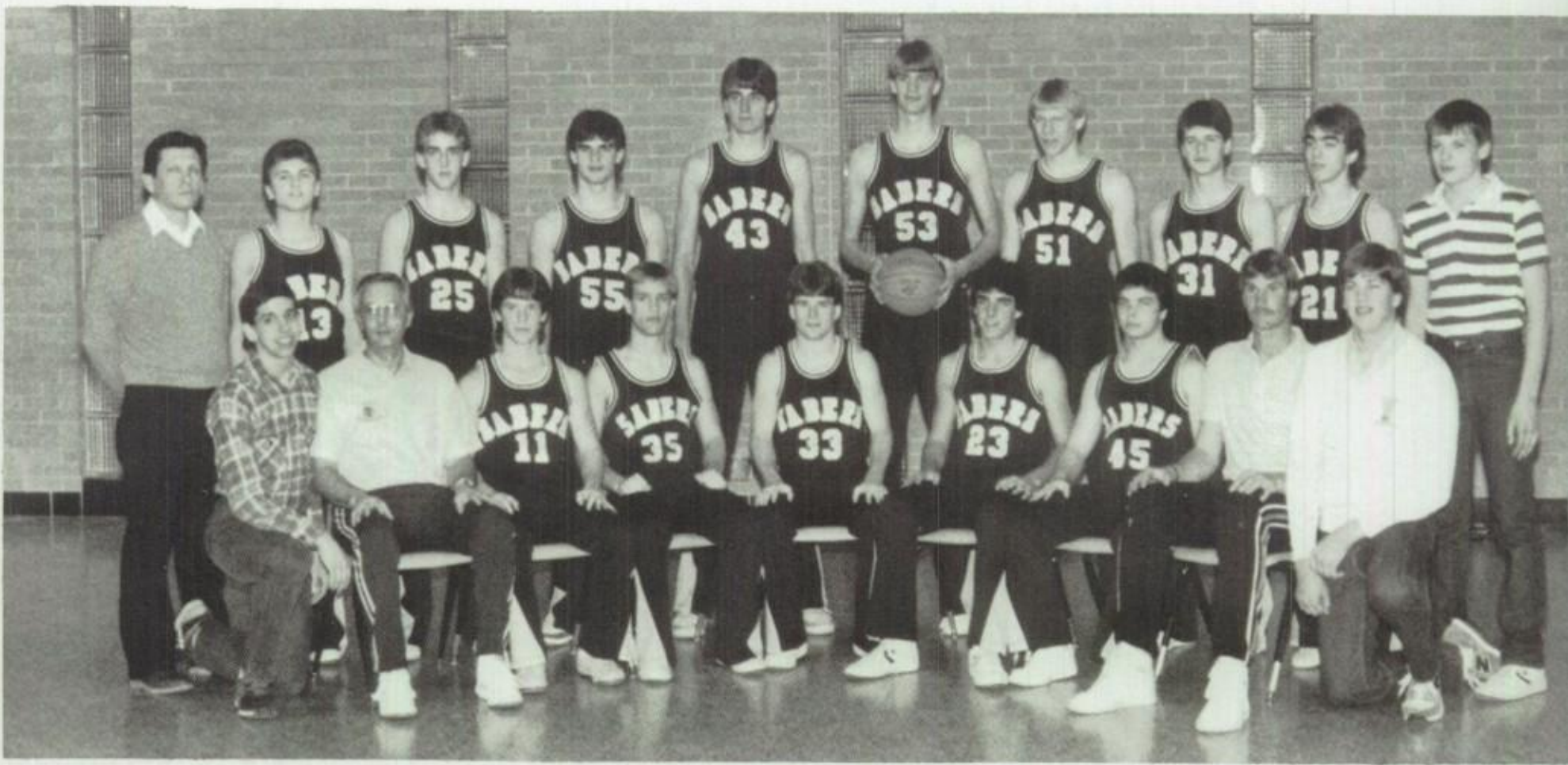


Leading the pack are Keith Green and Dave Schnurr in a meet at Westbrook Park.



Cathy Rheingans running by herself at a Westbrook meet.





The 1985-86 Varsity basketball team, back row: Mr. Utter, Pat Vickerman, Mark Smith, Kevin Kleinsmith, Brig Tubbs, Al Thomsen, Mark Ahlers, Rick Schrader, Matt Zimmerman, Joe Daniels. Front row: Tony Kuehn, Coach Padgett, Rick Schroeder, Mark Andreson, John Howes, Dave Schnurr, Tim Ostert, Assistant Coach Miller, Rick Poell.



Brig Tubbs in a jump ball with the Irish.



# Another Winning Season, 16-4



The 1985-86 varsity boys basketball team was led by 7 foot senior, Al Thomsen, 6' 9" junior, Brig Tubbs, and 6' 5" senior, Mark Ahlers to a 16-4 record.

The season started slow, only placing 3rd in the Holiday Tournament at North Scott. They then lost to Camanche and Pleasant Valley only to have a 3-3 record during Christmas break. "The kids set a goal during Christmas that they would go undefeated the rest of the season, and they did during the regular season." With that goal they rallied to a 16-3 record at the end of the regular season, before losing to Dubuque Wahlert in the 1st round of District play.

Coach Padgett had to say this about the season: "During January, February, and early March where everything came together, and where the kids had fun, we ended up 16-4 which you have to look at as being very successful. The disappointment would be that we didn't go as far in the tournament. Without a conference the tournaments are all we had. Our support was better then the last two years and our student body really gave us good support which is important at any level, high school, college or whatever."

Coach Padgett explained three key reasons of the season: "First, I think obviously you'd have to start with our height inside; second, I thought we got good play from the five kids we were totaling in at the guard spot. Guards, I'd have to say, one is the most important thing in starting the offense and defense; third, you're only as good as your seniors. If you don't have senior leadership out there you're in trouble. We had good senior leadership."

The three big men had to say this: Al Thomsen, "What motivated us was probably the two losses against Pleasant Valley and Camanche which motivated us over Christmas break and we knew we had to work harder to have a winning season, and we did." Mark Ahlers, "It was a rewarding season. We played together as a team." Brig Tubbs, "This year's team played well together. We tied a school record with 13 consecutive wins."

Al Thomsen is the first basketball player from Central to receive a "full-ride" scholarship to a Division 1 college. He will be attending the University of Tulsa, in Oklahoma.

Mark "Moses" Ahlers will be going to Wartburg College, in Waverly, Iowa, to play for the Knights.



CENTRAL		OPPONENTS
34	Iowa City	42
58	Iowa City Regina	36
53	Camanche	61
55	Mater Dei	38
46	Maquoketa	44
49	Pleasant Valley	50
46	Western Dubuque	37
66	Bellevue	49
61	Sherrard	35
80	Camanche	65
63	Cascade	48
57	Northeast	54 O.T.
52	Maquoketa	41
48	Pleasant Valley	46
77	Western Dubuque	53
78	Bellevue	38
56	Cascade	45
75	Northeast	60
69	Mater Dei	56
41	Dubuque Wahlert	57

ave Schnurr calls for a time-out.

Brig Tubbs at the free throw line, scoring for the Sabers.



# Sabers Have Trying Season .

Heather Deke, Cathy Rheinghans, Lori Palzkill, and Angie Trimble wonder where the ball will fall. Angie Bauer attempts to draw the charge from the opposition, while Heather Deke watches near the basket. Lori Palzkill, raise your hand if you're sure!



Cynthia Miller follows through on her free-throw attempt.

Angie Trimble and Cathy Rheinghans move into position for a good rebound.







This was the first season of five-on-five play for the CCHS girls basketball team. Even though the record was only 8-13, the team learned and improved much during the season.

The Sabers' new basketball coach was Marsha Eubank. The team was composed of underclass members.

The team was led by guards Angie Bauer and Heather Deke.

Angie Bauer headed Central's scoring by averaging 11 points per game. She also had the best free throw rating at 66 percent.

Heather Deke paced the Sabers in field goal shooting. She had an average of 9.4 points per game.

As a team, the Sabers shot 38 percent from the field and 55 percent from the line while the opponents averaged 49.2 points.



# WHAT WAS YOUR SINGLE BEST MOMENT AT CENTRAL?

I haven't had one single moment but many when former students, who have successful, fulfilling jobs and careers, return and tell me that they had a good education and a good start at Central.

Barb Scheckel has an idea.

DeAnn McCulloh and Renee Beguhn during the spring musical.

Sue Green, Holly Pierce, Penny Heister, Angie Trimble, Anne Bloom and Sherry Grutz laugh it up at the St. Louis Zoo.





# Sophomores Are Successful

Top right: Steve Kuehn shows his defensive technique.

Left: Darren Witt goes for two as Brad Martin blocks out the defense.

Right middle: Travis Scheckel sets for two.

Bottom: Team members were: Pat Vickerman, Steve Kuehn, Mike Henson, Mark Lincoln, Bill Bloom, row 2: Jason Burke, Travis Scheckel, Dave Pote, Brian Albers, Larry Burke, row 3: Mr. Utter, Mark Stamp, Shane Flann, Darren Witt, and Brad Martin.



"The key thing is that we had some depth, 10 people that played good basketball. With fresh people on the floor we were able to wear the opponent down. "I hope some of these people can make a positive contribution to the varsity next year," stated Coach Utter.

The 1985-86 Central Sophomore Basketball team finished the season with a twelve game winning streak, setting a record for most wins in a season, which gave them a 16-2 record.

Without much height, they were very talented individuals who worked hard as a team.

Travis Scheckel led the team in total points with 195, Darren Witt was second with 187, and Brad Martin with 176. Brad led all rebounds with 97.

On the average, the sophomores outscored their opponents 63 to 46. They shot 52% from the free throw line, led by Scheckel's 71%. The Sabers shot 46% from the field, Witt and Pat Vickerman had the best with 56%.

Large crowds enjoyed watching the Saber sophomores with their exciting style of play.

Vickerman was moved up to varsity play.

SABERS	OPPONENT
60	Regina 63
70	Camanche 42
71	Mater Dei 51
57	Maquoketa 39
38	Pleasant Valley 35
58	West Dubuque 64
65	Bellevue 55
66	Sherrard 21
69	Camanche 43
67	Cascade 40
71	Northeast 45
46	Maquoketa 35
47	Pleasant Valley 42
66	Bellevue 35
72	Cascade 55
68	Northeast 48
68	Mater Dei 55
67	West Dubuque 57





# Sophomore Girls Gain Experience . . .



Team members: Front row: Peggy Baker, Lori Fuglsang, Colleen McGarry, Kelly Petersen, and Tracy Flammang. Middle row: Libby Schoening, Brenda DeWulf, Carol Schnurr, Jennifer Tobey, and Shannon Petersen. Back row: Lori Grell, Gail Burke, Shelly Shuster, Trisha Gisell, Coris Claes, and Coach Hinz.

Colleen McGarry guards against a shot.

Bottom right -  
Renee Fisher, Shannon Peterson, Libby Schoening, Colleen McGarry, and Peggy Baker run after the ball.



Peggy Baker, Lori Fuglsang, and Colleen McGarry watch as Libby Schoening tries to get away with the ball.



Tracy Flammang, Peggy Baker, and Libby Schoening guard the opposition.





Dave Posten in mid flight at the long jump.

Middle left:

Kurt Kipper flying over the high jump.

Below:

Marcus Kinrade sets his own pace.

Upper left:

Jeff Jammsen clears the high hurdles.

Bottom right:

Chet Hippler puts effort into his race.

The 1985-86 Sophomore Boys' Track Team.  
Front row: Matt Anderson, Steve Kuehn, Mike McManus, Kurt Kipper, Andy Schmitt, Chet Hippler, and Troy Stevens. Middle row: Dana Clapp, D.J. Vandervilt, Jim Palzkill, Dave Yoggie, Todd Azinger, Shane Garrity, Jeff Jochimsen, and Dave Posten. Back row: Tony Sheckels, Kurt Rheinghens, Bill Bloom, James Pote, Jasen Budinger, Neil Schoening, Shane Flann, and Jamie Prickett.





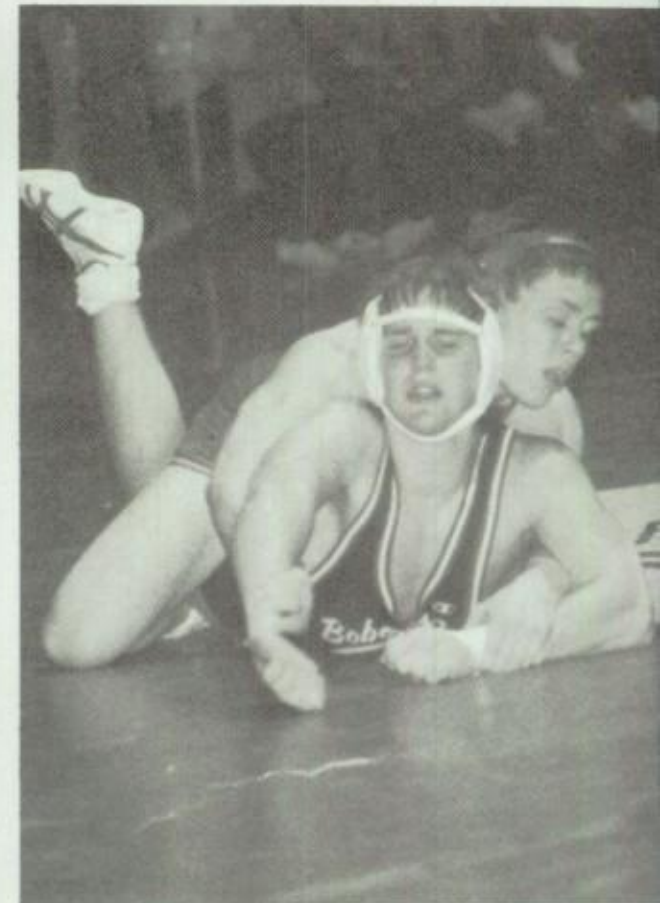
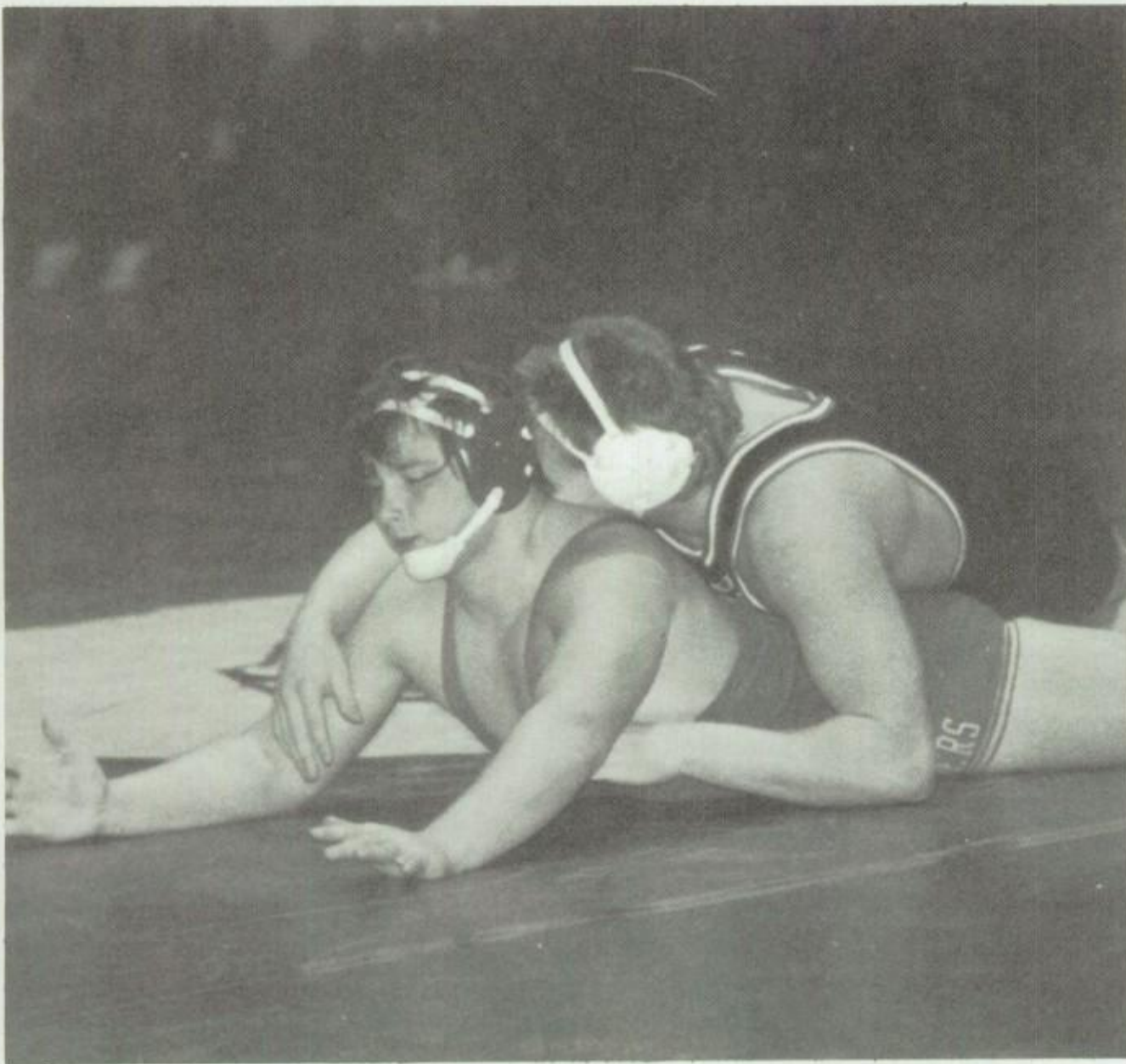
# “Tim Ocker Goes To State”

The Central Wrestling team finished this year with 2 wins, 8 loses, and 1 draw.

There were three wrestlers on the team that helped alot. They were Tim Ocker, Steve Hughes, Lee Swanson. Starting with Tim Ocker, he was the only one from the team that made it to state. Wrestling at state and weighing barely 230, Tim had won the first match by pinning a wrestler from Des Moines East High School weighing 289. In the second match he was pinned by his opponent from Charles City High School weighing 275.

Lee Swanson and Steve Hughes were two other successful wrestlers on the team. Lee wrestled at 132. Lee's record was 24 wins and 2 losses. Steve wrestled at 138 and sometimes at 145. His record was also 24 wins and 2 losses.

Here's a few comments that Coach Hlubek mentioned of this year's team: "I think that we had some outstanding individuals, but overall we weren't as tough of a team. I was real happy with Tim Ocker who had made it to state. This year's team was in the toughest wrestling district in Iowa. Next season it looks promising because the team will only be losing three seniors."



Jason Myers trying to wrestle his man for a pin.

Tim Ocker wrestling his way for a win.

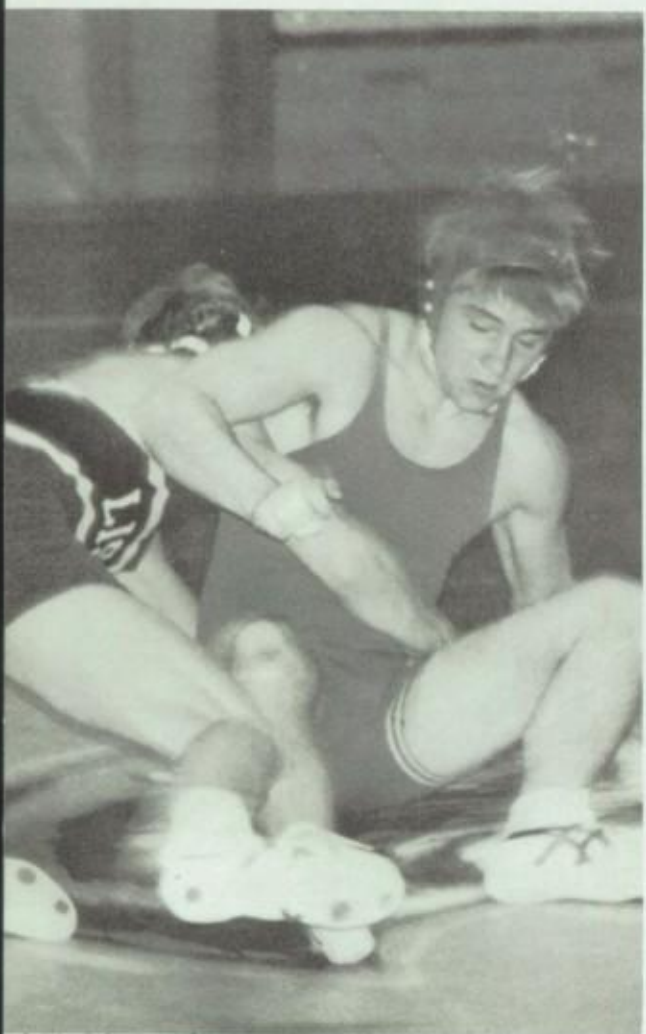




Steve Hughes showing good sportsmanship after the meet.



Rob Huber shaking his opponent's hand after a tough match.



Monty Sheckles trying to make a move on his opponent.



Back row: Assistant Coach Cavanagh, Mike Lemaster, John Overstake, Matt Kinney, John Schumaker, Tim Ocker, Brad Barnes, Brian Fruend, Andy Schmidt, Rodney Haack, Coach Hlubek. Middle row: Pete Lason, John Thompson, Mike Huber, Pressiey

Henningsen, James Pote, Todd Kinney, Bryan Thomsen, Jim Campbell, Todd Azinger, James Rivard. Front row: Paul King, Monty Sheckels, Lee Swanson, James Thompson, Jim Seward, Jason Myers, Steve Hughes, Trent Fey, and Tim Stuedemann.



# Sabers

The boys' team came close, very close to sending some one to state this year.

Some of the people winning many of the points for the Sabers were: the 1600 meter medley team (Mike Hensen, Tim Ocker, Dave Schnurr, Kent Jurgensen, Jason Myers, Mike Zimmerman, Darren Witt, Jeff Griep, and Tony Kuehn), long jump by Darren Witt --season record was 21.0 ft., 3200 relay (Mike Henson, Dave Schnurr, Al Grau, and Kent Jurgensen) 8:32.87, 1600 meter run by Todd Reeg (4:35.87), shot put -- Jeff Palzkill and Tim Ocker, high jump -- Matt Zimmerman 5'8".

Mike Zimmerman starting the relay race.



Tim Ocker crossing the finish line.

Dean Maynard running the hurdles.



# Are Runners

Jeff Griep speeding to victory in the 1600 meter relay.





Doug Lomsdalen, Todd Reeg, and Kent Jurgensen cool down after practice.

Ty Stevens, Dan McGuire, and Al Grau start their race even.



Disc -- Todd Kinney 145'11",  
3200 run -- Todd Reeg, Travis Scheckel, Dan McGuire, Al Grau, and Steve Kuehn, 100 meter dash -- Darren Witt, 400 meter hurdle -- James Pote, Ty Stevens, and Dean Maynard, 400 meter dash -- Daren Witt, Todd Reeg, and Jeff Griep, and the 200 meter dash -- Tony Kuehn.

The 1985-86 Varsity Boys' Track Team.  
Front row: Mike Zimmerman, Tim Stuedemen, Al Grau, Todd Reeg, Dave Schnurr, Mike Henson, Jason Myers, and Dean Maynard.  
Middle row: Ty Stevens, Ron Grutz, Tony Kuehn, Jeff Griep, Dan McGuire, Jim Seward, and Kory Budinger.  
Back row: Travis Scheckles, Darrin Witt, Mark Howard, Todd Kinney, Tim Ocker, Kent Jurgensen, Doug Lomsdalen, and Jeff Palzkill.

Darrin Witt running all out.

Dave Schnurr in the lead at the finish of his race.





# OUR COMPETITORS

Chris Jaques, Ann Bloom, Shelly Lawrence, Deb Fedderson, Holly Pierce, Jean Hughes, Jean Hahn, Melanie Selby, Shannon Petersen, Jennifer Condon, Peggy Baker, (middle) assistant coach Deb Hanson, Tina Hall, Tina Peterman, Sarah Lomsgaalen, Melanie Biel, Tammy Kilburg, Lori Hahn, Karen Scheckel, Tracy Brun, head coach Pam Duncan, (back) assistant coach Marsha Eubanks, Sidley Howard, Lauri Greil, Debbie Clark, Shiela Lawrence, Mary Raes, Sharon Galloway, Kristi Hill and Tina Wright.

Tammy Kilburg anticipates the starting gun.



Lori Hahn starts the baton for the relay race.

Shannon Petersen leaps for a winning jump. Ann Bloom takes the baton as Chris Jaques looks on in the background.

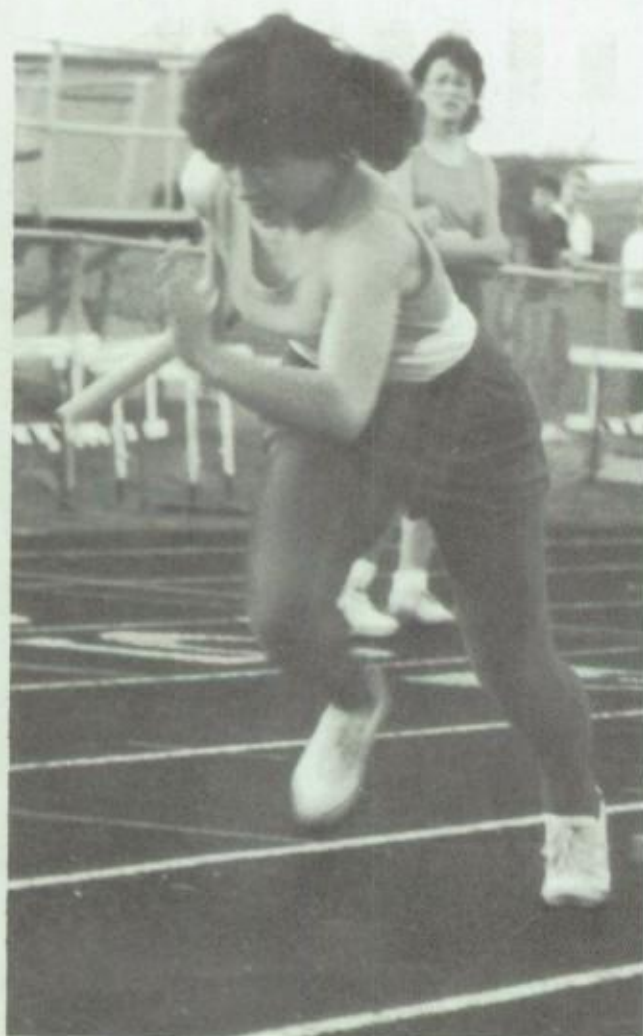




The Sabser varsity girls' track team participated in some indoor meets for the first time.

The Sabers brought home two titles from the DuHawk Invitational hosted by Loras College in Dubuque. The 8-lap relay composed of Ann Bloom, Holly Pierce, Shiela Lawrence and Chris Jaques placed first with a time of 3:12.91. Chris Jaques placed first in the 800-meter run with a time of 2:32.36

# CAN TALK BUT ..



Top left: Holly Pierce gets a good start in her relay.



Top middle: Karen Scheckel finishes strong.

Lower left: Melanie Biel clears a hurdle.

Chris Jaques ended her season by placing third in the state meet in the 800 meter run.





# Girls Golf Have

## Winning Season

Girls 1986 golf team was at its best. Six of the seven dual meets were won and the team placed well in the triangular meets that were participated in.

The highlight of the season was beating Pleasant Valley 191-192.

Heather Deke went on to compete in the state competition at Spencer, Iowa.

Heather Deke let's go.

Laura Hetrick swings for the ball.

Lori Burke trying to stay standing.

Mary Macumber walks down the course.





The boys golf team was only defeated once in dual meets. It did break the school record for the low 4 of 5 counting.

Dave Rueter was medalist at the Maquoketa Invitational and tied at the Tipton Invitational. The CCHS team won the Maquoketa Invitational.

# Swinging Into Action

Jeff Scott watches Bill Lange go for the gusto.



Chris Deke really concentrating.

Brian Barnes lines up his shot.

Steve Frommelt puts the ball.





Every spectators sport at CCHS has its own set of cheerleaders. They are selected during cheerleader tryouts twice a year.

Fall Varsity Football cheerleaders were Penny Penzkofer, Stacy Hall, Kristi Hofer, Lisa Ahrens, Kelly Moehr, Mary Macumber, Ann Mayberry, Patti Wendel. Sophomore Football cheerleaders were Kari Denahy, Mary Howes, Shellie Brandt, Tracy Roeder, Shannon Petersen, Kris Klaas.

Winter Varsity Boys Basketball cheerleaders were Penny Penzkofer, Stacy Hall, Kristi Hofer. Sophomore Boys Basketball cheerleaders were Kari Denahy, Michelle Brandt, Mary Howes.

Wrestling Varsity cheerleaders were Kim Denahy, Mary Macumber, Kelly Moehr, Collette Claes. Sophomore cheerleaders were Kris Klaas, Tracy Roeder, Cheryl Harrington.

# Cheerleaders



TOP RIGHT:

Mary Macumber, Ann Mayberry, Lisa Ahrens, Stacy Hall, Patti Wendel, Penny Penzkofer, Kristi Hofer waiting to cheer on the team.

Traci Roeder, Kris Klaas, Cheryl Harrington lead the JV wrestling, while Kelly Moehr, Kim Denahy, Mary Macumber, and Collette Claes observe the match.

Stacy Hall, Penny Penzkofer, Deanna Meyer, and Lori Boudreau trying out for a cheerleading position.

BOTTOM LEFT:

Penny Penzkofer, Kristi Hofer, Stacy Hall, Mary Macumber, Ann Mayberry, Kelly Moehr, Patti Wendel, and Lisa Ahrens ready to cheer on the varsity football team.

Mary Howes, Kari Denahy, Penny Penzkofer and Kristi Hofer doing a cheer.





Girls Varsity Basketball cheerleaders were Michelle Bickle, Michelle Eilers, Elaine Wright. Sophomore cheerleaders were Karen Scheckel, Tracie Patrick, Deanna Meyer.

Some highlights from Kristi Hofer, "One big family — we have such great fun." "North-East Game spirit was Great." Colette Claeys remarks, "coming in before school at 7 to get ready for Saber Invitational and put up posters and stuff."

Kari Denahy, Kris Klaas, Mary Howes, and Tracy Roeder, sophomore football cheerleaders, plan for the next cheer.

Kelly Moehr, Colette Claeys, Kim Denahy, and Mary Macumber pose on the wrestling mat.



Michelle Eilers, Elaine Wright, and Michelle Bickel doing a cheer for the varsity girls basketball.

Kristi Hofer, Penny Penzkofer, Kari Denahy, and Mary Howes cheer together for the varsity and sophomore boys basketball.



# service organization

Becky Burkamper explains why Ekim is not possible.

Pam Burken and Kathy Kane shows the camaraderie of the library club.



Lisa Franzen, Jona Brown and Darlene Singleman show their interest in one of the meetings.

Angie Green, Becky Burkamper and Lisa Franzen discuss their christmas party plans.

Brenda Burkamper, Secretary, Pam Burken, President and Darlene Singleman, Vice President, were officers for the year.

The Central Community High School Library Club is an organization for students who work in the library and choose to participate. The 1985-86 officers were Pam Burken, Pres.; Darlene Singleman, Vice-Pres.; and Brenda Burkamper, Secretary/Treasurer. Activities included fun, fund raisers and service projects. A bonfire and movie party was the club's fun fall activity held at the Burkampers'. The Christmas party was a grab bag gift exchange and pizza party held at Happy Joe's. The Burkampers hosted the spring picnic in May. The Library Club and F.F.A. worked together on the coat checks for both the pork and beef banquets which were good money makers. The Library Club's service projects were serving the PTA's chili supper in the fall and helping to serve the F.F.A. banquet in the spring. Mrs. snavelly was delighted to name Brenda Burkamper the 1986 Outstanding Student Library Assistant Award winner on awards day.







Coach Duncan showing off her new shades.

Dave Schnurr illustrates his point.

Kristy Smith receives her Outstanding Band Award from Mr. McMahon as Mrs. Witte watches.

The NaNaNaas (Yale Christenson, Tom Davis, and Craig Witte) at the Lip Sing Contest held at the Opera House.

Jeff Grant remembered for his presents at all sporting events taking pictures for the 'DeWitt Observer'.





The yearbook is a self-supporting organization. Its purpose is to bring to the student body a photojournalistic view of the high school events that took place during the year.

Money for the yearbook is raised by ad sales, book sales, and working the concessions at the girls basketball games and at the home track meets. It is always a very close budget since it is not a profit making organization.

Students may volunteer their time to make the yearbook. Many students think that all you have to do is take a few pictures and the book by some magic formula just appears.

The pictures must be taken true, but also the captions that appear under every picture must be written and all the people identified. A story line must be written about each event in the school. For some people they are willing to work for no glory, but others can't handle it and therefore quit. The book can only be as good as the people who are on the staff and do their work completely.

The yearbook cost roughly \$35.00 per copy but this is not what the students have to pay. The staff tries to come up with the rest of the money to make the book affordable for the student body.

If you don't like the yearbook, why not apply and work for a greater yearbook?

# Annual Staff



Lori Raes checks on her data for a yearbook article.

Top right;

Dan Scott poses in the library after finishing working in the darkroom printing pictures.

Middle left;

Steve Thiltgen with his magic hat, hoped it would help him cut his little pieces of black paper straight.

Middle Right;

Tom Carlson smiles at the memory of all the work he has done.

Amy Peterman helps at the concession stand to help raise money.

The editor this year was Brenda Burkamper.







# 17 New Members N.H.S.



During the honors banquet, the juniors line-up to obtain their certificates. Those present in the photo were: Becky Burkamper, Sue Canaday, Lisa Davis, Deb Fedderson, Linda Geise, DeAnne Gannon, Sue Gree, Penny Heister, Mark Hanrahan, Traci Kreis, Ann Mueller, Carrie McDonald, Dan McGuire, Michelle Peasley, Tim Sheridan, and Mark Smith.

New Inductees into the honor society were: Donna Galloway, Brent Johnson, Connie Nielsen, Dan Nugent, Jane Rodriguez, Anne Bloom, Lisa Davis, Lauri Wulf, second row: Mark Anderson, Al Grau, Penny Heister, Traci Kreis, Jason Meyer, Holly Pierce, Lance Schoening, Tim Sheridan, and Roy Tan.

Masters of ceremonies for the honors banquet was Deanne McCulloh.

Entertainment was by a senior trio composed of Shelly Thiel, Lisa Burke, and DeAnn McCulloh. They sang "Rain Drops Keep Falling" and "Supercalafragilisticexpealedoscious".

Last year's appointees were Sherry Burken, Kristi Hofer, Jill Tobey, Shelly Thiel, DeAnne McCulloh, second row: Kent Jurgensen, Brenda Burkamper, Doug Lomsdalen, Lisa Burke and Mike Frohwein.



# A.F.S.

## Upper Right:

AFS officers for the year were Secretary Jim Seward, Vice-President Sharon Porth, row 2: President Milissa Knudsen and Treasurer Kelly Thomsen.

Jussi Hanhivaara shows his winning smile.



## Middle Right: E

At the AFS weekend, the following students participated: row 1: Sonia Balarezo(Peru) Rosa Pineda(Honduras), Tracy O'Shannassy(Australia), Tonja Fick(Germany), Elikn Kjetland(Norway), Gilda Barbour(Dominican Republic), Elizabeth Grenier(France) row 2: Prawit Treethasayuth(Thailand), Demos Frantzeskos(Greece), Jussi Hanhivaara(Finland), Alvaro Canizales(Venezuela), Gabriel Ruiz(Spain)..



# Finland Comes to America

## Bottom Right:

The homecong float for the AFS. Milissa Knudsen drove the truck while Connie Nielson, Amy Schroeder, --, Karen Burken, Dave Green, Keith Wichert, Jim Miller, John Hesse.



Jussi Hanhivaara from Finland was the foreign exchange student for the 1985-86 school year. He participated in Cross Country, Chorus, Band, the fall play, and the spring musical. Tonya Fick from Germany was the IEDE exchange student. The AFS chapter held 2 candy sales and hosted 2 basketball games between the WOC/KIHK team and the faculty. They used the money for a field trip and for next year's exchange student. The officer's for 1985-86 are President, Milissa Knudsen; Vice-President, Sharon Porth; Secretary, Jim Seward; and Treasurer, Kelly Thomsen.



# FHA



The DeWitt chapter of Future Homemakers of America became affiliated with the National Organization this year. With 15 members the chapter has an active year. The officers were elected at the September meeting. They are President, Lisa Burke; Vice-President, Laurie Wulf; Secretary, Brenda Jaeger; Treasurer, Leanne Schmidt; and Historian/Reporter, Carrie McDonald. In October a float was designed and entered in the Homecoming parade. In November the chapter baked cookies which were passed out while caroling in December. After caroling a pizza party was held. Cross Country skiing and sledding were the activities in January. During National FHA week we invited a speaker to discuss abortion. In April the chapter was asked to serve at the FFA Banquet. As a final to the year a Progressive Supper was held and the members went to a theatre production. The chapter advisor this year was Janelle Westemeyer.



The academic pursuit team, row 1: Keith Wichert, Roy Tan, Alt. Lisa Burke, Row 2: Mark Anderson, Larry Banowetz, and Lance Shoening.

The spanish club was under the leadership of President, Kathy Alkire, and Secretary, Jennifer Lucky. The advisor was Miss Protsmann.

The club went christmas caroling, sold flowers at Valentine day, participated in the language festival and had taco parties.

The academic pursuit team was a new event at CCHSS this year. The team consisted of Keith Wichert, Roy Tan, Mark Anderson, Larry Banowetz, Lance Schoening, Shelly Thiel, and the alternate, Lisa Burke.

Locally the team participated at Bentendorf against 11 other teams and finished 3rd. It was won by Pleasant Valley with Bentendorf coming in 2nd.

At the state level held at Dennison, Iowa, our team went against 18 other teams and placed 11th. The champs were from Dennison.

## Foreign Language



# DeWitt Central FFA

Maureen Barber, a 1985 CCHS graduate, became the Iowa State FFA President. She served at the State Secretary during the past year. Maureen is the first local person to hold a state office.

## Largest in

## Iowa

Mr. Smicker said, "Central advanced every contest to district that it entered at sub district. Of those contests we received 7 golds, 3 silvers, and 2 bronze awards at district."

"The contests that advanced to state are: Creed Speaking, Conduct of Meeting team, Parliamentary Procedure team, Ag Sales, Job Interview, and Reporters Scrap Book. The Manual Quiz also received a Gold rating but it is only district contest."

The kids that made it to state and what they are in are: Ann Feldpauch in Creed Speaking. The kids in Conduct of Meeting team are Jeff Jockimsen, Jennifer Tobey, Paul Bloom, John Delaney, Tom Meier, Mike Knutson, and Greg Passig. Parliamentary Procedure team: Jim Campbell, Jill Jacobsen, Mark Soenksen, Mark Lincoln, and Neal Schoening. Ag Sales: Bob Burmeister. Job Interview: Bill Henricksen. Reporters Scrap Book: Lisa Burke and Deanne McCulloh.

FFA is designed to develop students attitudes, self image, goals, values and self discipline through practical experience. Students develop skills and leadership abilities that are designed to enable themselves to select and achieve occupational directives to help themselves prosper better in life.

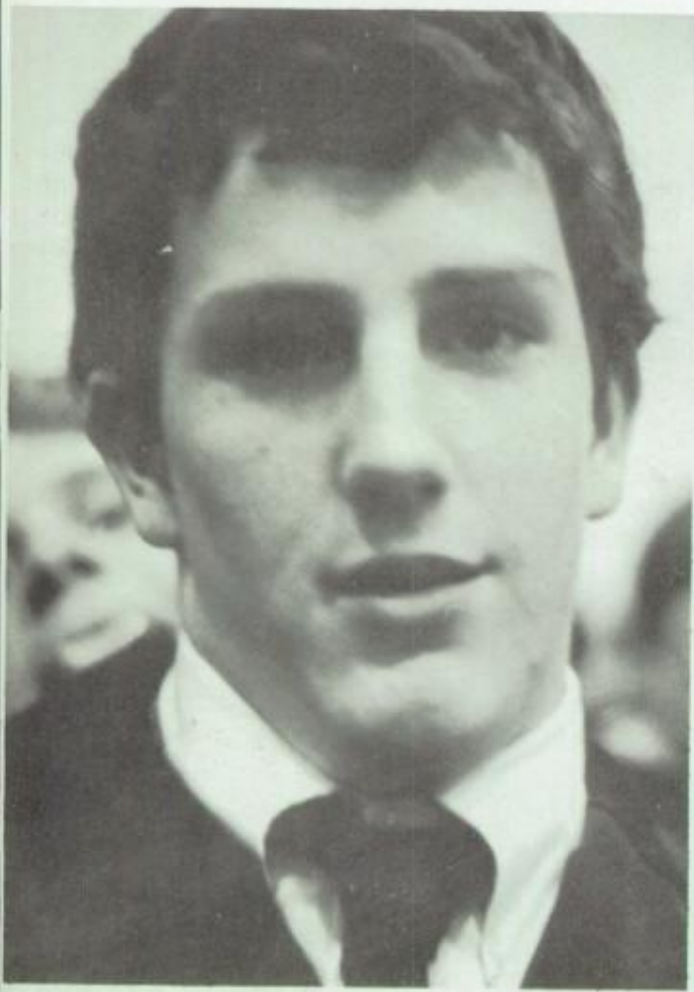


President Keith Green conducts a meeting.

The 1985-86 FFA Officers. Front row: Jill Tobey, Secretary; Keith Green, President; Bob Burmeister, Vice-president; and Kristi Hofer, Treasurer. Back row: Deanne McCulloh, Co-reporter; Bill Henricksen, Assistant reporter; Lisa Burke, Co-reporter; Monty Sheckles, Sentinel; Jennifer Flatters, Historian; and Al Grau, Assistant reporter.







Larry Burke Shows his form at Contest.



Kevin Meyer measures shelves at the referral center for the FFA's BOAC project.



DeAnn McCulloh and Ann Feldpausch examine the supplies at the DeWitt referral center.



# WHAT HAVE YOUR PERSONAL GOALS BEEN THIS YEAR?

PRINCIPAL  
Mr. Ehrler

I had three: 1. To get into three classrooms every day, to gain a better knowledge of what is going on and how teachers are teaching. Also to see if I could offer suggestions for even more successful teaching skills.

2. To talk to five students per week and get to know them better and understand how they feel about school.

3. To know the name of every student in the school - an almost impossible job.

Roy Tan, Ann Mueller, Sherry Grutts, Collette Claeys, Kevin Kleinsmith, Ann Bloom, Julie Tobey, Laurie Wulf, and Lisa Davis line up for their musical review in St. Louis.

Lisa Ahrens shows her expertise upon the keyboard.

Pat Burke and Sherry Burken take time out at the prom to pose for a picture.

I began teaching at DeWitt High School in 1948. I taught all the science classes offered at that time — general science, biology and physics.





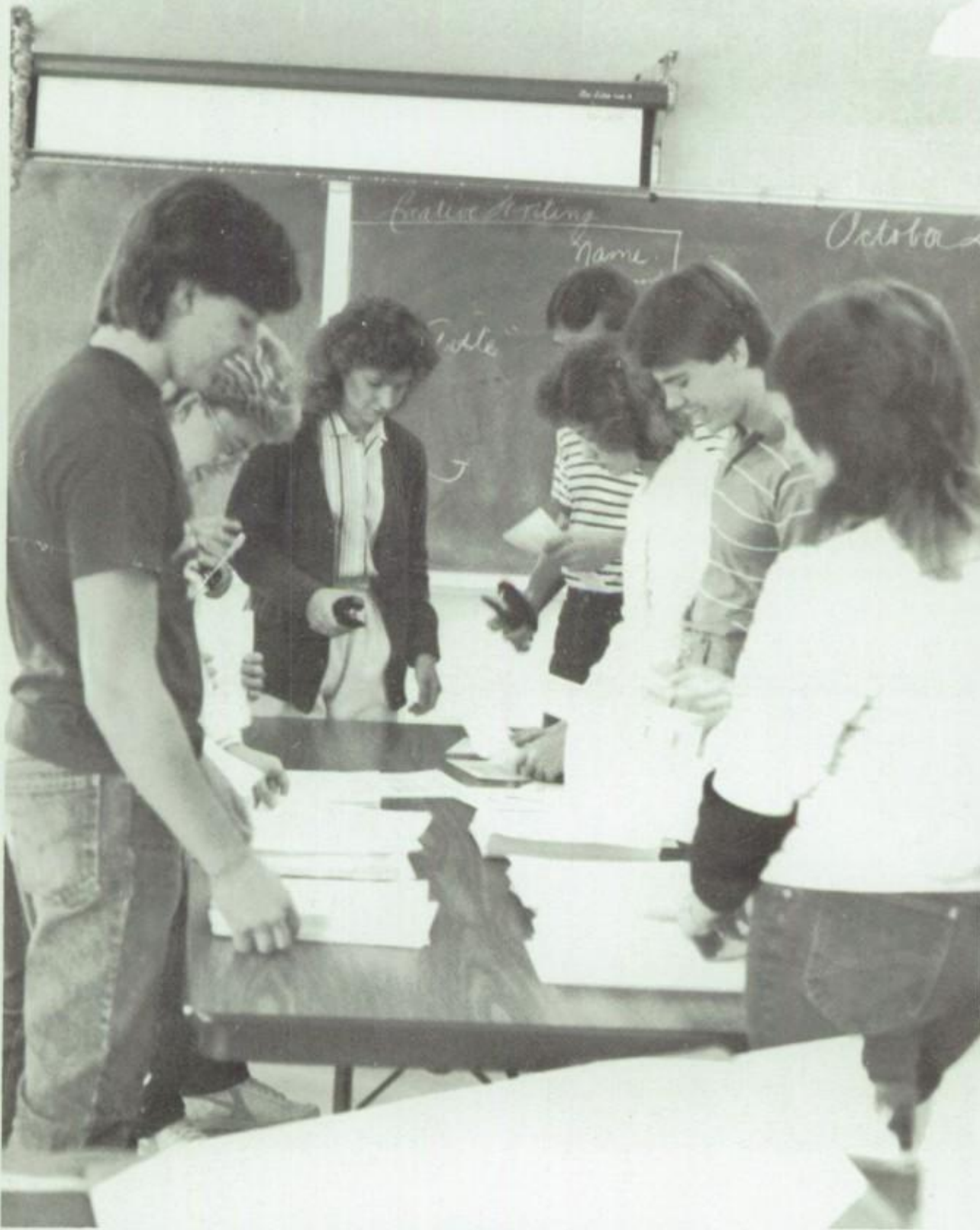
# A Learning Experience

Bill Thompson, Betsy Woods, Shelly Thiel, Jill Jacobsen, Todd Reeg, and Becky Burkamper put together the news letter.

Krista Billhorn and Mike Overstake contemplate their next art project.

Brenda Jaeger loves to march and carry her flag.

Lori Raes turns as she hears her name being called at the honors banquet.





# Band on the Run

The Saber Marching Band, under the leadership of Lisa Davis, provided entertainment at all home football games. The music selections were Material Girl, Rockin' at Midnight, Lover boy, Barbara Ann, Chattanooga Choo-Choo, Cald Mountain, Dualuy Banjos, You'r the Inspiration.

The three baton twirlers were Ann Mayberry, Shelly Brandt, Kristi McDevitt. They added special prizes to the band's performance.

Senior band members are Brent Johnson, Dan Nugent, Doug Lomsdalen, Kent Jurgersen, Sharon Porth, Joel Sissel, Ann Mayberry, Jayne Peters, Lisa Ahrens, Kristi Hofer, Dawn Haring.

Junior Lisa Davis was Drum Major. Colette Claeys said she will always remember the whistle that never sounded the same twice.

Ann Schatz, Bryci Garien, and Lori Bollie are caught giggling as they march in step of course!

A special part of band is the flag corp. The flags offered color and pizzazz to the band performance. The flag corp was under the leadership of Mrs. McMahon.

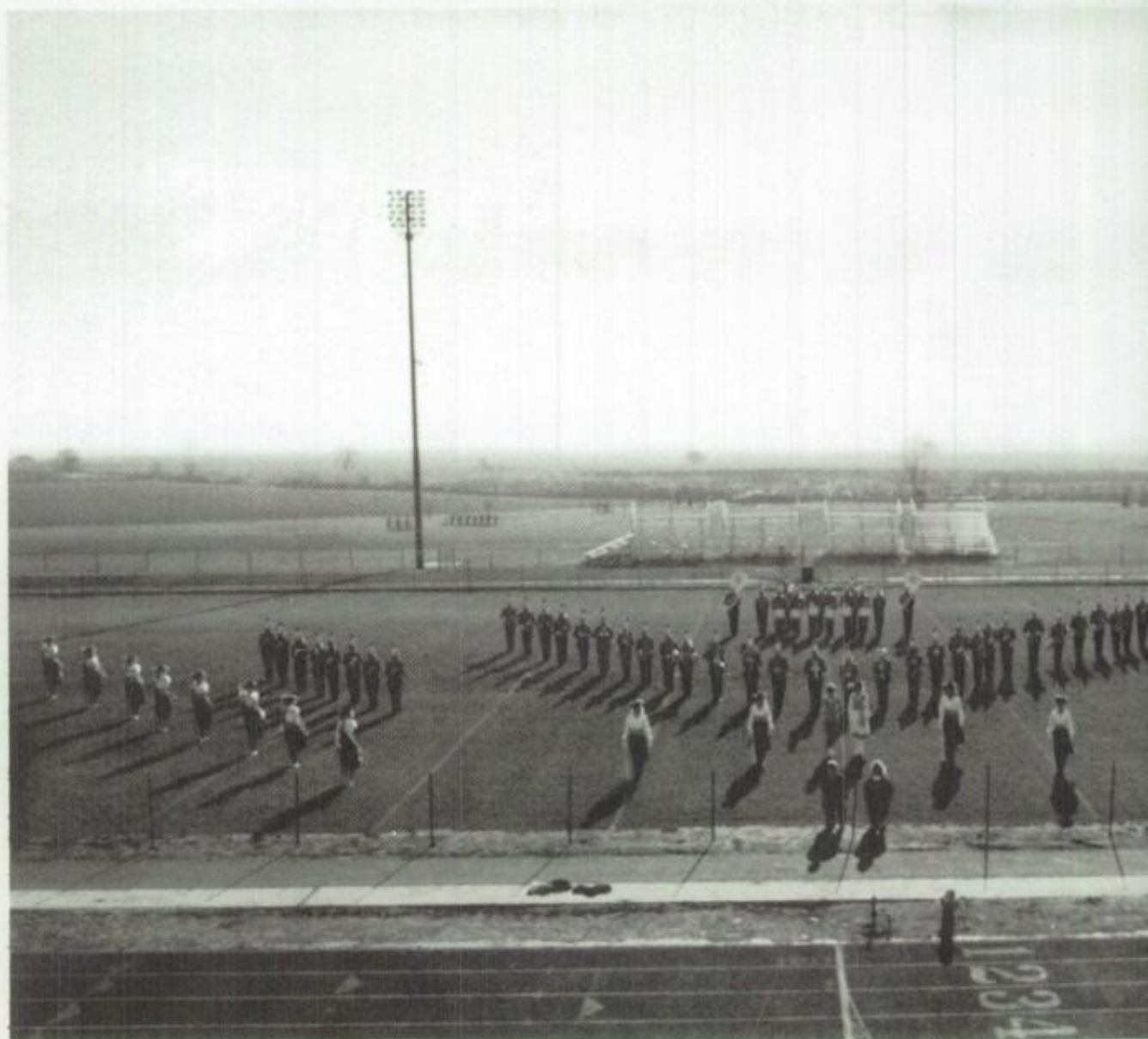
Flag Corp co-captains were Colette Claeys and Kristy Smith. Special effects added much to their performance. Rhonda Danielson and Lavonne Clark were Band Managers to keep special effects equipment organized. Rifles are part of flag corp. Janine Hodgett was captain.

The band participated in the Eastern Iowa Band Festivites held in Cedar Rapids. The Band marched in Memorial Day parades in Grand Mound and Dewitt, Kids Day in Grand Mound, Adventure Land, Low Moore field Day and Cornell Homecoming.

The flag corp gave Matt Polanski the risky business award. Walking through a drive-in award was given to Roy Tan, Scott Jansen, Steve Frommelt, Darin Dusanek.

Renee Beguhn steps to the front of the line with her flag.

The marching band practicing for Home Coming.





Front row: Rhonda Danielson, Kristi McDevitt, Lisa Davis, and Lavonne Clark.  
Second row: Sue McDonnell, Sharon Porth, Meghan Crowley, Joel Sasiela, Anne

Mayberry, Julie Block, Holly Pierce, Chris Dushanek, Brent Johnson, Tina Peterman, Scott Rands, and Jennifer Jacobsen. Third row: Theresa Mackin, Dan Nugent, Sue Green, Eric Nelson, Kevin Meyer, Cheryl Harrington, Jayne Peters, Dana Meier, Darin Dushanek, JoJo Baker, Sue Canaday, Roy Tan, Doug Lomsdalen, and Penny Penzkofer. Fourth row: Kristi Smith, Krista Billhorn, Ann Muller, Matt Ahrens, Rochelle Hass, Laurie Wulf, Sarah Lomsdalen, Donna Galloway, Becky Mackin, Pam McCulloh, Stacy Hall, Angela Arey, and Kim Denahy. Fifth row: Jill Tobey, Lori Bollie, Lisa Wold, Julie Hintz, Tammy Julson, Ann Schatz, Leanne Schmidt, Kari McDonald, Tracy Kries, Angie Bauer, Shelly Brandt, Kari Truelson, and Tammy Dies. Sixth row: Missy Olson, Steve Frommelt, Tracy Flammang, Dina Price, Julie Casad, Trent Dalton, Jim Nugent, Mike Evers, Kevin Kliensmith, Scott Baxter, Scott Jansen, Jussi Hanhivaara, and Colette Claeys. Seventh row: Tony Kuehn, Lisa Ahrens, Kristi Hofer, and Kent Jurgensen. Eighth row: Kim Kueter, Brenda Jaeger, Chris Smith, Jolene Clark, Linda Geise, Janine Hodgett, Dawn Haring, Carla Dohrman, Raelynn Galloway, and Renee Beguhn.

Kristi McDevitt and Lisa Davis lead the Saber Marching Band down the street.

Kristi McDevitt and Lisa Davis stand in front of the flag corp and the rest of the band before marching onto the field.





The Swingin' Sabers Jazz Band was split into two groups this year. The brass section remained the same while only the sax and rhythm section changed. Also, part of the Jazz Band was the Jazz Combo which consisted of select members from each section.

The Jazz Band performed at many civic and community events. Once again the band was invited to play at the Iowa State Fair, as a guest band. They also attended banquets, large group annual meetings, community Christmas parties, and local elementary schools.

The Swingin' Sabers were also kept busy at various school festivals and competitions. The highlight of the season was a third place trophy won at the University of Wisconsin Jazz Fest in February. The band also performed the Augustana College Jazz Fest in December, State contest at Muscatine Jr. College in January, and at the NEIBA District Jazz contest at Marion in March. They also hosted at Jazz Festival at the Jr. High in early March. Winning recognition for solo work were Roy Tan, Eric Nelson, Sharon Porth, and Kristi Smith.

Band II Rhythm: Kristi Hofer, Lisa Ahrens, Trent Dalton, Scott Baxter, and Jim Nugent.

Sharon Porth, solist at work.

## 'Those Swingin' Sabers'







Band I: (left to right) Mike Evers, Cheryl Harrington, Kristi Smith, Matt Ahrens, Krista Billhorn, Roy Tan, Lisa Davis, Eric Nelson, Dan Nugent, Sue Green, Kevin Meyer, Scott Rands, Kent Jurgeson, Brent Johnson, Julie Block, Megahn Crowley, Anne Mayberry, and Sharon Porth.

Sax Section: Sue Canaday, Doug Lomsdalen, Donna Galloway, and Kevin Kleinsmith.





# The Serious Side of Instrumentation

Sharon Porth is haunted by; Mr. McMahon while practicing her solo.

Lower right;

At band practice, Mr. McMahon standing directs the band. Row 1: Lisa Ahrens, Carrie McDonald, Kari Truelson, Renee Beguhn, Tammy Julson, Kim Denahy, Dawn Haring, row 2: Traci Kries, Donna Galloway, Deje Greve, Kristy Smith, Rochelle Hass, Angie Bauer, Jolene Clark, Paula McMahon, Holly Pierce, Cheryl Harrington, row 3: Raelynn Galloway, Lori Bollie, Trent Dalton, Carla Dohrmann, Becky Mackin, Laurie Wulf, Sarah Lomsdalen, Ann Mueller, Matt Ahrens, Matt Polansky, Chris Dusanek, Julie Block, Sharon Porth, Anne Mayberry, Meagen Crowley, row 4: Julie Hintz, Ann Schatz, Bryci Garien, Leanne Schmidt, Michelle Kuehl, Doug Lomsdalen, Sue Canaday, Roy Tan, Kevin Kleinsmith, Lisa Davis, Jo Jo Baker, Kent Jurgerson, Scott Rands, Tina Peterman, Brent Johnson, Kevin Meyer, Sue Green, Dan Nugent, Percussion: Traci Flammang, Scott Janson, Steve Smith, Mike Evers, Juli Casad, Scott Baxter, Jussi Hanhivaara, Jim Nugent, and Mr. Ed McMahon.

The concert band: row 1: Lisa Ahrens, Carrie McDonald, Kari Truelson, Renee Beguhn, Tammy Julson, Kim Denahy, Dawn Haring, row 2: Traci Kries, Donna Galloway, Deje Greve, Kristy Smith, Rochelle Hass, Angie Bauer, Jolene Clark, Paula McMahon, Holly Pierce, Cheryl Harrington, row 3: Raelynn Galloway, Lori Bollie, Trent Dalton, Carla Dohrmann, Becky Mackin, Laurie Wulf, Sarah Lomsdalen, Ann Mueller, Matt Ahrens, Matt Polansky, Chris Dusanek, Julie Block, Sharon Porth, Anne Mayberry, Meagen Crowley, row 4: Julie Hintz, Ann Schatz, Bryci Garien, Leanne Schmidt, Michelle Kuehl, Doug Lomsdalen, Sue Canaday, Roy Tan, Kevin Kleinsmith, Lisa Davis, Jo Jo Baker, Kent Jurgerson, Scott Rands, Tina Peterman, Brent Johnson, Kevin Meyer, Sue Green, Dan Nugent, Percussion: Traci Flammang, Scott Janson, Steve Smith, Mike Evers, Juli Casad, Scott Baxter, Jussi Hanhivaara, Jim Nugent, and Mr. Ed McMahon.



On stage, Tammy Dies, Pam McCulloh, Angie Bauer, Carla Dohrmann, Stacy Hall, Jo Jo Baker and Becky Mackin put on a Christmas skit.





Kent Jurgensen and Mr. Shoeham play the "Ghost Busters" as Dawn Haring looks on.



Cheryl Harrington, Sue Green, Dan Nugent, Brent Johnson, Kent Jurgensen, Anne Mayberry, Sharon Porth, and Meagen Crowley. Performing before the Christmas Party.

The Central Community High School Band of 1985-86 had one of the better balanced instrumentations of the past ten or so years. The low brass and low woodwind sections were well-supplied with skilled players. The Concert Band made its debut this school year at the Band and Choir Christmas Concert in December. A highlight of this Concert was the "standing ovation" for the choir and band's version of the 'Hallelujah Chorus' from 'The Messiah.' The band next appeared at the Winter Concert in February. Kristy Smith was the featured soloist with the band, performing 'Concerto in C major of Oboe' by Haydn. The band also quized the audience's memory on old T.V. show reruns. The All-School Concert followed quickly in March where all 4 bands in the District performed in the succession. The 5 tuba players in the district combined for "Ghostbusters." The Concert Band also attended the Tri-School Festival at North Scott, and Large Group Class AAAA contest. The Commemoration Concert completed the Concert Season.

The Music Boosters are parents of high school music students who take part in activities to support the school's music program. The group serves both the vocal and instrumental music departments, and is governed by a fifteen member board of directors which meets once a month.



Top Right: are the mixed chorus members composed of (row 1): Kim Denahy, Lauri Wolf, Jenny Flathers, Rhonda Roeder, Julie Block, Ann Mayberry, Linda Giese, row 2: Kristy Smith, Kim Kueter, DeAnne McCulloh, Brenda Jaeger, Steve Frommelt, Kevin Kleinsmith, Keith Green, Mike Fronwein, Sharon Porth, Ann Bloom, Paula McMann, Theresa Mackin, row 3: Renee Beguhn, Sherry Burken, Rhonda Danielson, Sherry Grutz, Angie Trimble, Darren Dusanek, Brent Johnson, Eric Bentley, Jussi Hanhivaara, Matt Peteresen, Jim Seward, Monty Sheckles, Julie Tobey, Lori Hass, Stacy Hall, Jo Jo Baker, row 4: Shelly Thiel, Missy Olsen, Julie Casad, Penny Heister, Penny Penzkoffer, Kari Truelson, Jane Rodriguez, Mary Macumber, Ann Mueller, Dean King, Doug Lomsoalen, Brig Tubbs, Al Thomson, Kent Jurgensen, Steve Thiltgen, Collete Claeys, Karen Burken, Lisa Burke, Angie Bauer, Jayne Peters, Jill Tobey, Sue Green, Lisa Davis.

The chamber singers were composed of: (row 1): Holly Pierce, Sue Green, Keith Green, Kevin Kleinsmith, Kristy Smith, Brent Johnson, Lisa Davis, DeAnn McCulloh, row 2: Mike Frohwein, Deanne Price, Jane Rodriguez, Steve Frommelt, Lisa Burke, Dean King, Shelly Thiel, Al Thomson, Ann Mayberry.

The processional of the mixed choir into the gym at the Christmas Concert.



On the right page, the bottom two photos were taken of the tri-school choral festival. The male singers had the distinct privilege of standing on the chairs during part of the performance. That was a feat in itself for some of the males.



Right:

Front row: Laura Hetrick, Deje Greve, Kris Klass, Tony Faudel, Joni Fatchett, Sherry Stutzel, Shannon Binegar, Darcy Stutzel, Jessica Stutzel, row two, Carry Denahy, Randy Banowetz, Michelle Kuenl, Ben Macumber, Sarah Lomsoalen, Kevin Meyer, Traci Flammang, Scott Rands, Anita Skaar, Lori Boudreau, Matt Ahrens, row three, Nancy Seward, Traci Roeder, Jodi Bruns, Trent Dalton, Fran Robinson, Lara Schumacher, Lisa Bates, Angie Waack, Rochelle Hass, Mark Stampe, Ann Schatz, Lisa Wold, Kathy Kofer, Lisa McGarry, Todd Azinger, Lisa Yoeger, Melanie Biel, Peggy Baker, At the piano is Cheryl Harrington.





# Vocal Music

The vocal music department had a very rewarding year. The year started with students trying out for the All-state auditions. Two quartets auditioned with only Shelly Thiel being selected. One of the quartets went to the Iowa Honor Choir, while one quartet performed at the Clarke College Festival.

The Chamber singers were very busy making 13 performances during the month of December doing "I love Christmas".

The Christmas Band and vocal concert was held December 15. Christmas music was provided while being acted out upon the stage by various students.

In March a group from the musical cast attended a workshop at Circa 21 in Rock Island, Illinois where they saw the stage production of "Joseph And His Technicolor Coat".

The next big production for the music department was the musical "Once Upon a Mattress" March 14 and 15. There was a dinner theater provided by the music boosters.

The next function was preparing for the 4-A ensemble contest on April 5, and the large groups contest on May 2. Those students that received division 1 ratings (superior) were: Roy Tan (baritone solo), Lisa Davis (Treble Voice Low solo), Shelly Thiel (treble voice high solo), Jane Rodriguez (treble voice high solo), Renee Beguhn (treble voice medium solo), Kristy Smith (treble voice medium solo), Kristy Smith and Dean King (unlike duet), Shelly Thiel and Kristy Smith (like duet), Girls Trio composed of Lisa Davis, Kristy Smith and Shelly Thiel, Chamber Choir composed of the chamber singers.

Central also hosted the tri-school choral Festival with North Scott and Pleasant Valley on April 21. It was under the direction of Lee Mathews, assistant professor of music and director of the Performing Arts Series at Marycrest College in Davenport.

The mixed choir also took a trip to St. Louis on May 10 and 11th.

The final performance for the choir is always at graduation.



# CCHS Drama Department's Production of "Our Town"

Dr. Gibbs (Keith Wichert) greets his wife (DeAnne McCulloh) before breakfast.



Thornton Wilder's "Our Town" was held November 8 & 9 at 7:30 in the CCHS gym.

Andy Wichert played the stage manager which narrated the story about people and their lives in Groves Corner, New Hampshire. It took place from 1900-1913.

Through the eyes of the stage manager, the background and years skipped helped illustrate the lifestyle of the people.

The story portrayed the thought that no one lives all of life all the time. No one realizes how good earth is until death.

Steve Thiltgen says, "I will remember having to kiss Jane Rodriguez for three plays in a row."

Andy Wichert will remember from the play "When Emily comes back from the dead. People don't understand life until they are dead."

The players were:

Stage Manager.....	Andy Wichert
Dr. Gibbs .....	Keith Wichert
Joe Crowell .....	Eric Nelson
Howie Newsome.....	Monty Sheckles
Mrs. Gibbs .....	DeAnne McCulloh
Mrs. Webb .....	Michelle Flann
George Gibbs .....	Steve Thiltgen
Rebecca Gibbs .....	Laura Hetrick
Wally Webb .....	Ben Macumber



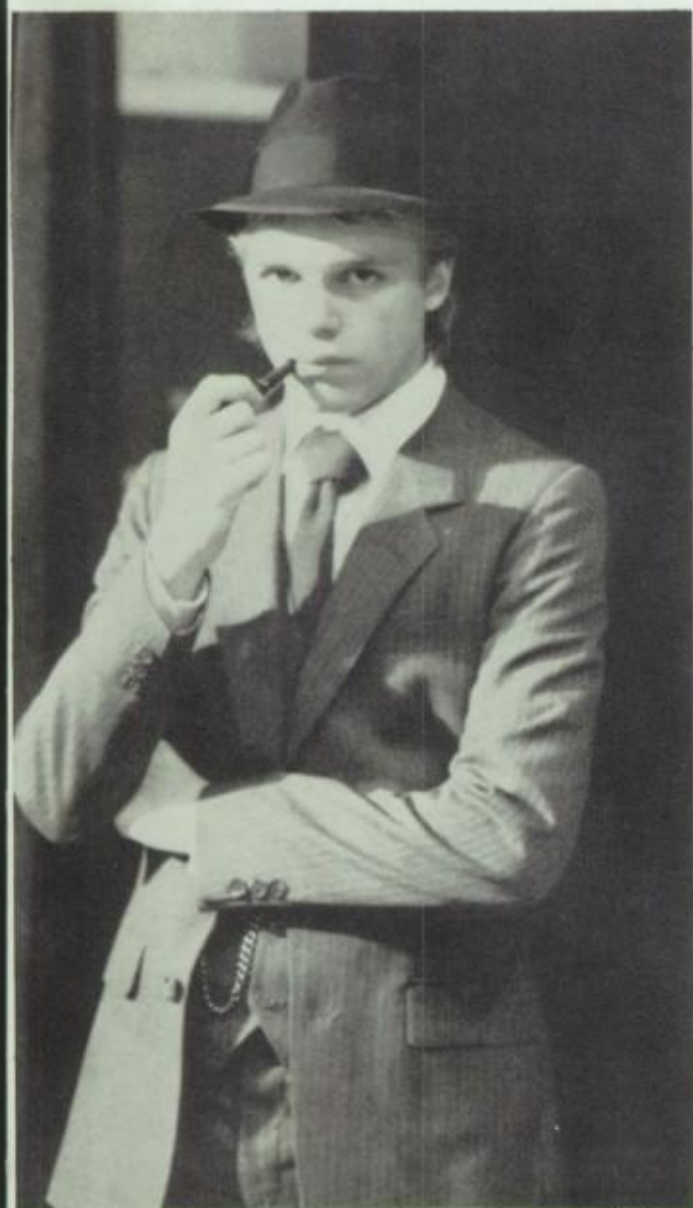
Mrs. Gibbs (DeAnne McCulloh) and Mrs. Webb (Michelle Flann) chat before their children and husbands come home.





Emily Webb (Jane Rodriguez) and George Gibbs (Steve Thiltgen) talk about their day at school.

Emily Webb.....Jane Rodriguez  
 Professor Williard.....Monty Sheckles  
 Mr. Webb.....Kevin Kleinsmith  
 Woman in Audience.....Dina Price  
 Man in Auditorium.....Andy Peterson  
 Lady in Auditorium.....Juli Casad  
 Simon Stimson.....Roy Tan  
 Mrs. Soames.....Sue Canaday  
 Constable Warren.....Andy Peterson  
 Si Crowell.....Eric Nelson  
 Baseball Players.....Jussi Hanhivaara  
 Eric Nelson  
 Sam Craig.....Jussi Hanhivaara  
 Joe Stoddard.....Eric Nelson  
 Townspeople.....Dina Price  
 Juli Casad  
 Sue Green  
 Jenny Burzlaff  
 Renee Beguhn  
 Betsy Woods  
 Coleen Kinney  
 Amy Peterman  
 Jenny Johnson



The stage manager (Andy Wichert) poses at the edge of the stage during the play.



The cast and helpers of "Our Town". Back row: Steve Frommelt, Dan Scott, Steve Thiltgen, Roy Tan, Kevin Kleinsmith, Michelle Flann, Keith Wichert, Jussi Hanhivaara, Andy Peterson, Ben Macumber, Eric Nelson, Andy Wichert, Laura Shoemaker, and Sandra Woods. Middle row: Kent Jurgensen, Doug Lomsdalen, Sue Canaday, Betsy Woods, Coleen Kinney, Amy

Peterman, Jenny Burzliaff, Sue Green, and Kim Fausnaught. Front row: Jane Rodriguez, Monty Sheckles, Laura Hetrick, DeAnne McCulloh, Renee Beguhn, Julie Casad, Dina Price, and Jenny Johnson.



# "Once Upon a Mattress"

The musical "Once Upon a Mattress" was presented at the Central Community High School gymnasium on March 14 and 15.

Many moons ago, in a far-off land, princesses from neighboring kingdoms vie for the honor of marrying Prince Dauntless (Tony Faudel). Thus far, 12 princesses have tried and failed the impossibly difficult test which Queen Aggravian (Jane Rodriguez) makes them take.

Lovely Lady Larken (Shelly Thiel) and brave Sir Harry (Dean King) are in a quandry. Larken is in the "family way", but law says no one may marry until the Prince has wed. Harry leaves on a quest to find a "true, bonified princess".

He returns with Winnifred the Woebegone, Princess of the Swamps (DeAnna McCulloh). The Queen loathes Winnifred on sight, but the Princess is allowed to compete. King Sextimus (Monty Sheckles) liked Winnifred, but can only communicate through pantomime. He had been voiceless since a witch's curse was put upon him: "King Sextimus will never talk until the mouse devours the hawk."

The Queen and her wizard (Steve Thiltgen) devise a test for Winnifred. She will have to sleep on a stack of 20 mattresses beneath which a pea will be placed. Should she sleep, she's not a true princess. For extra insurance, the Queen makes her take a sleeping potion and brings on the Nightingale of Samarkand (Renee Beguhn) to lull her to sleep.

The next morning the Court discovers that Winnifred hasn't slept a wink. When the Queen still balks at having a swamp princess for a daughter-in-law, Dauntless shouts her down: the mouse devours the hawk. The spell

Princess Winnifred (DeAnna McCulloh) has a hard time getting to sleep. The Nightingale of Samarkand (Renee Beguhn) in her perch.

is broken and the King can talk. All ends happily ever after.

Also added to the merriment are Ben Macumber (the minstrel); Roy Tan (the jester); ladies of the court-Sue Green, Lisa Burke, Lisa Davis, Penny Heister, Rhonda Danielsen, Jennifer Burzall, Renee Beguhn, Kristi Hofer, Joni Fatchett, Laura Hetrick, and Juli Casad; and knights and soldiers-Eric Bentley, Matt Ahrens, Darin Dusanek, Trent Dalton, Mike Frohwein, and Jussi Hanhivaara. Also featured in the opening scene were dancers Mary Howes and Tony Sheckles.

Lisa Ahrens and Kristy Smith served as the accompanists. Ushers were Sue Canaday, Colette Claeys, Nancy Seward, Angie Waack, Deje Greve, and Laurie Hass.

The wizard (Steve Thiltgen) times the 12th princess.







Members of the court: Mike Frohwein, Trent Dalton, Jussi Hanhivaara, Eric Bentley, Darin Dusanek, Matt Ahrens, Lisa Davis, Juli Casad, Sue Green, Lisa Burke, Kristi Hofer, DeAnne McCulloh, Joni Fatchett, Jennifer Burzlaff, Rhonda Daniels, Laura Hetrick, and Renee Beguhn.



The dancers, Tony Sheckles and Mary Howes.

Sir Harry (Dean King) and Lady Larken (Shelly Thiel), together again.



with Dauntless (Tony Faudel).



# Prom

The Disc Jockey from Iowa City provided the music while Brian Bruckman, Dean King, Mary Macumber, and Shelly Thiel show their dancing skills by smiling at the camera.



Jona Brown smiles, while an artist draws her caricature



Jennifer Lucke, Matt Petersen, Angie Bauer, Keith Green and Rodney Haack look down on the dance floor.



Rick Poell tries his luck at the Horse Race, while Laurie Wulf, Sue Canaday, Dave Green and Jody Bruntz watch on with the dealer.



John Howes, Mark Ahlers, and Pat Burke look down on the people who are dancing.



Kristi Smith and Ken Lowery are congratulated by Angie Bauer when they become Queen and King.

Dave Templeton, Mike Evers, Krista Billhorn, and Jennifer Perry and her date board the Queen of Hearts, while Mr. and Mrs. Mueller and Mark Ahlers wait for it to cast off.



Dave Schnurr and his date, Stacy Hall, take time out from dancing for a photo.

Kim Denahy is "Pretty in Pink" at prom.





# Seniors ...

Graduation took place on Tuesday, May 27 at 7:30 in the high school gymnasium.

One hundred fifty three seniors marched in to the "Pomp and Circumstance" lead by the Junior class officers, Kim Denahy and Angie Bauer. The stage was decorated by two floral displays in school colors. Each senior wore the class flower which was a white carnation tipped with deep purple.

The National Anthem singers lead the auditorium in singing the National Anthem before the featured guest speaker of the evening.

The highlight of the evening was the address by Lt. Col. David Hilmers, astronaut, U.S.M.C. He graduated from C.C.H.S. 18 years ago.

In his address Lt. Col. Hilmers made four points. 1) Set high goals, 2) perseverance, 3) integrity, and 4) consideration for others.

Angie Green is about to receive her diploma.

Lt. Col. David Hilmers giving the graduation speech.

Angela Arey receives congratulations from Robert Fuller, School Board President.

Sue McDonald taking her long walk across the stage.

Lori Raes contemplating her future career as she walks across the stage.





# Bid CCHS Farewell

Class colors: Burgundy and Silver.

The class motto was: "I do not fear tomorrow, for I remember yesterday, and love today."

The mixed choir sang two numbers, "Take these wings" and "May the Road rise up to meet you."

The students with 3.0 grade average were introduced with their parents. Shelly Theil was named valedictorian and Mark Anderson was named Salutatorian.

Robert Fuller, President of the School Board, presented the diplomas to each senior.



Upper left: Kelly Dalton reaches to obtain her diploma.

Top middle: Jim Miller smiles in the anticipation of getting his degree.

Above: Clint Sissel has his flower pin on him by Holly Cargill.

Seniors stand while everyone marches in. Those standing are: Jim Block, Lori Bollie, Brenda Burkamper, Debbie Galloway, Donna Galloway, Brent Johnson, Pat Burke, Mr. McMahon, Karen Burken, Pam Burken, Sherry Burken, Steve Grau, Jeff Burmeister, Bob Burmeister, Dean King, Ron Carber, Keith Green, Jim Clark, Ron Grutz, Rick Clausson, Rod Haack, Frank Cole, Michelle Crosswaite.

Amy Schroeder and Jayne Peters express their emotions after graduation.





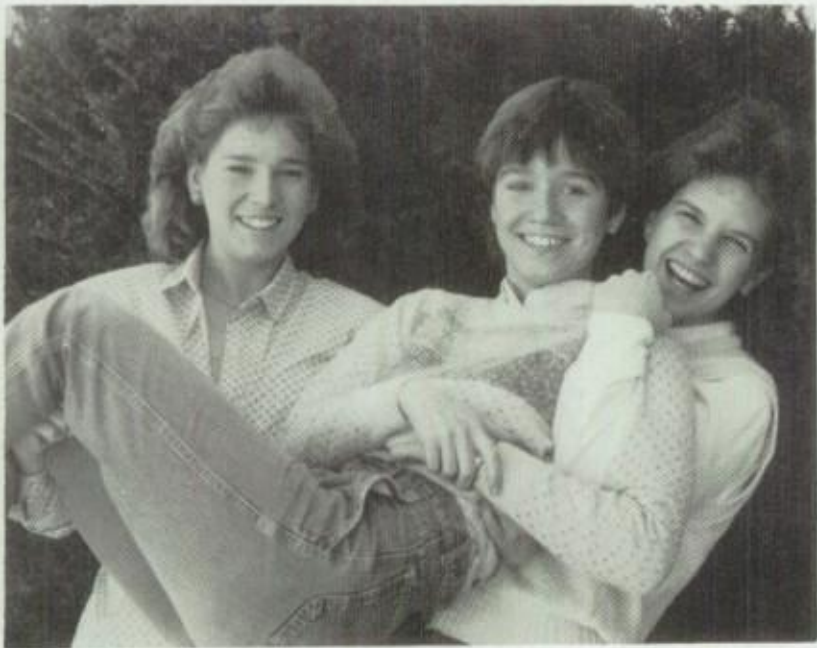
# Student leaders

Junior Class Officers are Angie Bauer, Roy Tan, and Kim Denahy.

Senior Class Officers are Jill Tobey, Kristi McDevitt, and Kristi Smith.

Sophomore class officers Travis Scheckles and Nancy Seward.

The 1985-86 Student Council Members are:  
Front row: Tim Sheridan, Janine Hodgett, Chris Deke, Deanne McCulloh, Ann Muller, and Matt Petersen. Middle row: Tony Kuehn, Lori Burke, Kelly Moehr, Jessica Stutzel, Jennifer Condon, Shannon Petersen, and Monty Sheckles. Back row: Steve Hughes, Sue Canaday, Alyn Thomsen, Jim Campbell, Jamie Prickett, and Rick Schrader.







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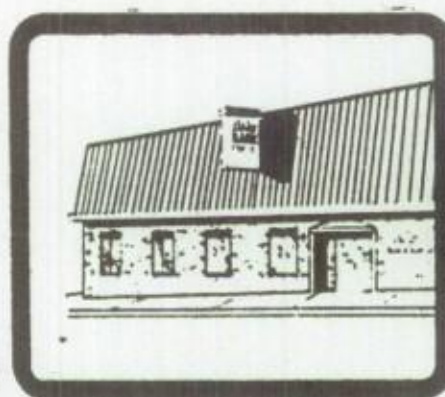
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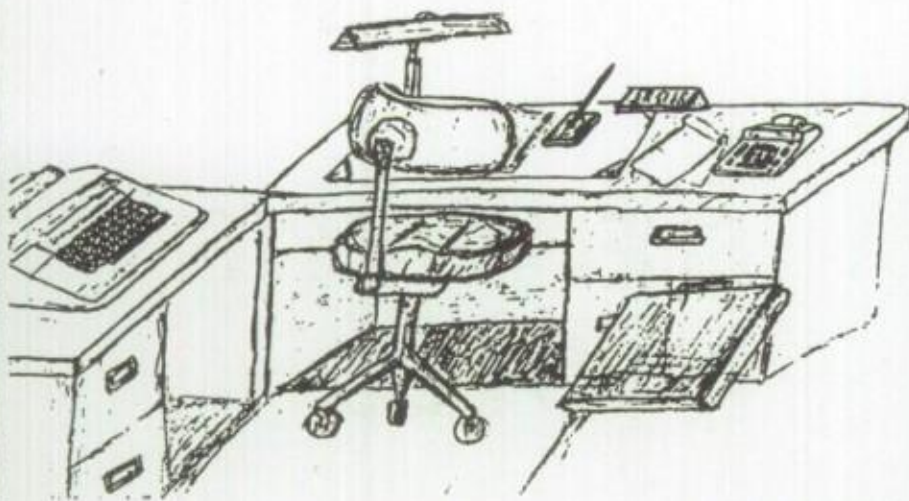
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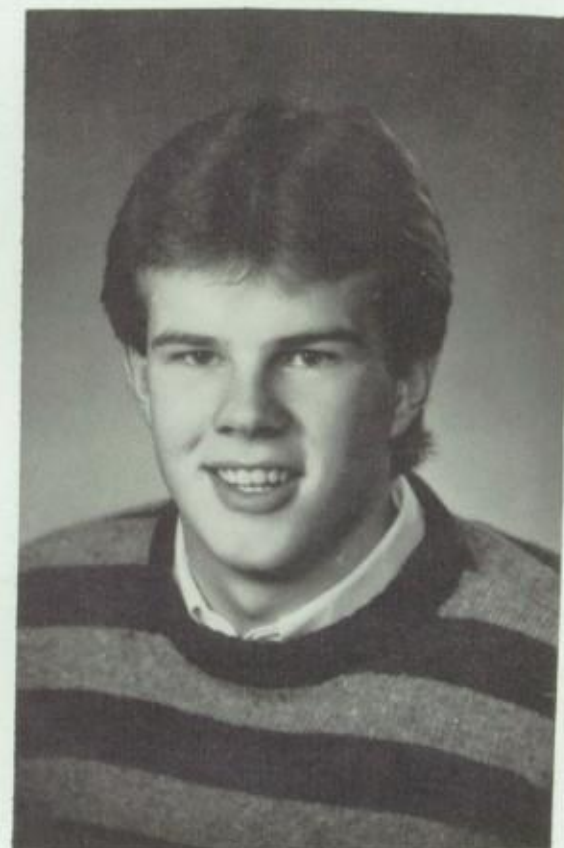
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LT. COL. Dave Hilmers, a former CCHS student, now can say "Look at me now!"

The 35 year old astronaut flew into orbit on Thursday, Oct 3-7, 1985 on the maiden flight of the Atlantis. The shuttle went 65 orbits, traveled 1,625,000 miles and spent 96 hours in space.

The space flight was a part of a secret U.S. Department of Defense mission. Hilmers was scheduled to fly aboard the Challenger in May 1986 until the accident on January 28, 1986 when the Challenger blew-up killing 7 people. The purpose of his next flight was to have launched an international satellite, Ulysses, which would then orbit around the poles of the sun.

Lt.Col. Hilmers is a mission specialist. Since 1980, he has worked on three designs for upper-stage booster rockets and also worked as a radio link between mission control and the shuttle crews.

When asked at Cornell graduation, Lt. Col. Hilmers said the best thing about being in space was the fact that there was a sunrise and sunset every 45 minutes. "It is a gorgeous, gorgeous sight. Pictures don't do it justice. The beautiful blue color rising above the horizon...you can actually count twenty three distinct layers of atmosphere", he continued.

Talking of fear, he said its a little uncomfortable knowing that thousand of powerful explosives are strapped to your back. The way the rockets make the orbital shudder, you think it is going to fall apart, but once in orbit, there is a striking contrast as to how smooth and uneventful it is.

The astronaut was valedictorian of his class in 1968. He lettered in football, basketball and track, member of the National Honor Society, member of band, chorus and science club.

He then went to Cornell College where he graduated Phi Beta Kappa with a major in economics and mathematics. He was awarded Midwest Conference Outstanding Scholar-Athlete in 1971. He obtained his Masters degree in Electrical Engineering in 1978.

On the space flight, Lt. Col. Hilmers took from Central Community High, the letter "C" and a pen with the saber emblem on it. He also carried several mementos for his family.

The CCHS school is very proud to have been represented by an outstanding graduate.

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## CLOSING

As the year began to come to a close, the students and staff started to count down the number of days that were left. Everyone was anxious to get out of school and on with the summer. The days started to get warmer and more daydreaming started to occur. Everyone's thoughts were on getting out of school and what they would do during the summer.

When everyone's last day arrived, there was much excitement. The halls were very noisy between classes and the classrooms were louder than usual. The baseball and softball teams had already begun practices. There will be games throughout the summer. Along with the ball games there will be vacations

Matt Kinney wonders how do I turn this thing on?

Beth King receiving her diploma

Jason Burke finds an empty spot.



to unknown places, picnics, family reunions, swimming, and summer jobs.

Everyone was excited about what they were going to do during the summer and ready to start doing it right now. They will do very exciting things and by September they will be ready to get back to school and tell everyone else what they did during the summer. The first days of school are just as exciting to most people as the last days.

Some of the local events that happened over the past year are: the Iowa Lottery was approved and started, Joel Green was killed when the grain covered him in a grain elevator where he was playing, many of the stores down town closed, Walker's being the main one, and having a Casey's store was opened.

Some world wide events are: September 19 and earthquake shook Mexico City, Mexico measuring







Dave Templeton uses clamps to hold his wood project together.

Lavone Clark ready for the day to get over.

Rodney Haack and Jamie Prickett take a break from playing volleyball.

Studying for a test is Dan McAleer.



7.8, 2,000 died 5,000 injured; in November Prince Charles and Princess Diana visited the United States; November 19 & 20 President Reagan and Gorbachev met at Geneva; November 13 Navado del Ruiz (a volcano) exploded in Bogota, Colombia killing around 20,000 people; January 1 the Chicago Bears won Super Bowl XX; January 28 the Space Shuttle Challenger blew up. Crew members were: Christa McAuliffe (high school teacher), Commander Dick Scobee, Pilot Michail Smith, Judith Resnik (electrical engineer), Ronald McNair (a black physicist), Ellison Orizuka (a Japanese aerospace engineer), and Gregory Jarvis (an electrical engineer); February 7 Philippine election: Ferdinand Marcos won then left the country and Benigno Aguino became the new leader; April 21 the U.S. bombed Libya because of the terrorist Muammar Gaddafi supported; April price of gas down to around \$.75; April 28th Chernobyl nuclear reactor in the USSR, 80 miles north of Kiev, melted down and exploded; May 18 President Reagan went to Japan for a Tokyo Summit; May 25 Hands Across America.





Rodney Fisher receives an award for his short story from Mrs. Prichard as Bestsy Wood and Sandy Delarm call off the names.

Matt Libberton's finis.

Jim Block Keeps shis eyes off the camera.

Angie Green does a chemistry lab while Amy Peterman figures out if it will hurt her.

